

## PRINCE IS HEAD OF JAPAN PARTY AT CONFERENCE

Delegation Timed to Leave Yokohama for Washington on October 15—Number of Prominent Men Go as Advisers—Aged Woman on Mission for Her Sex.

### FOREIGN MINISTER IS UNCERTAIN ABOUT SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION

TOKIO, Oct. 1.—Prince Iyesato Tokugawa and Vice-Admiral Kato, Minister of Marine, will sail for the United States on board the liner Kashima Maru, from Yokohama, October 15, to take part in the conference on the limitation of armaments and Far Eastern questions in Washington.

Baron Kanda and Tsunetada Kato, former minister to Belgium, both members of the House of Peers, will accompany Prince Tokugawa as personal advisers. Prince Tokugawa's son, Iyemasa Tokugawa, has arrived from Peking, where he was secretary of the Japanese legation, and will accompany his father across the Pacific, being en route to London, to which city he has been transferred.

Prince Tokugawa, who will act as head of the Japanese delegation at the Washington conference, has issued a statement to the press, in which he says he realizes the grave responsibility on him, but wishes to assure the people he will do his best in the cause of the Empire.

## SAANICH WATER BY-LAW PASSES

Measure Authorizing Borrowing of \$150,000 for Gordon Head and Other Extensions Secures Majority

The Saanich water by-law passed yesterday, the vote for it numbering 219 and the votes against 413. The number of votes required to pass the by-law, a majority of two-thirds, was 278.

The vote polled was larger than in usual on a by-law put at any other time during the year than at the annual elections. There are about 7,900 names on the voters' list of Saanich, and 1,352 balloted yesterday, 13 votes being rejected and three spoiled.

Wards One, Two, Three and Four gave the by-law substantial majorities. Ward Five had a slight majority in favor, while Ward Six and Seven went against it.

"I am perfectly satisfied," said Reeve George Watson last evening. He has been a strong supporter of the by-law, which authorizes the borrowing of money to make water extensions to Gordon Head and in other parts of Saanich. He has declared the vote to be probably the largest that had been polled in the Municipality on a by-law put at any other time than at the annual elections in January.

The by-law opposition had no statement to make except to congratulate the by-law supporters upon their victory.

The official count of the ballots took place last night at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, following the preliminary count at the polling stations.

The polling in the various wards was as follows:

Ward	For	Against	Rejected	Spoiled
1	175	21	0	0
2	145	18	0	0
3	195	18	2	0
4	98	42	3	2
5	63	61	0	0
6	10	110	1	0
7	97	110	1	0
Total	519	413	13	3

The voting on the water by-law defeated last January was as follows:

Wards	For	Against
1	157	82
2	163	113
3	175	137
4	83	108
5	57	81
6	22	93
7	123	111
Total	787	706

The majority required is two-thirds. A Long Fight

The voting yesterday was the culmination of a long fight by the ratepayers of Ward Three to secure the passage of a by-law to provide the money for an extension of the water system to their district. Two by-laws were defeated, but, still undaunted, the Ward Three Water Committee set out to secure the necessary number of names on a petition, asking that a third measure be placed before the ratepayers. The Saanich Council endeavored to meet in the new by-law the objections raised to the preceding ones. No meetings were held by the supporters of the by-law to explain or defend it, but there were several gatherings of ward associations at which the measure was the subject of discussion. There has also been a large number of letters appearing in the press.

The by-law which was passed yesterday authorizes the raising of \$150,000, over \$125,000 of which is expected to go into the Gordon Head extension, and the rest into extensions in other parts of the Municipality.

Assignments for Week  
OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—Notice of assignment by business firms in Canada under the Bankruptcy Act included in the forthcoming Canada Gazette, number 58.

## MOTOR OWNERS ARE ASKED TO ASSIST

Brig.-Gen. R. P. Clarke, D.S.O., C.M.G., M.C., chairman of the Memorial Avenue Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, requests that all owners of motor cars who are willing to aid in transporting ex-service men from the city to the scene of the ceremonies incident to the planting of the first tree on the Memorial Avenue today shall have their machines at the corner of Yates and Douglas Streets this afternoon between 2 o'clock and half-past 2.

## STRIKE BALLOTS GO TO PACKING PLANTS

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Strike ballots are being mailed to organized employees of the larger packing plants of the country, but the vote will not be on acceptance of a reduction of wages, local union leaders said today.

While reluctant to discuss the matter, they indicated that the vote would be on whether a strike should be called if it was found impossible to obtain the union recognition demanded of the packers, who recently instigated an open shop system with a method of employee representation in the affairs of the company. All of the "big five," except Morrie & Company, announced this policy some time ago.

## OPEN MEMORIAL AVENUE TODAY

Lieutenant-Governor Will Formally Dedicate Boulevard in Honor of British Columbia's War Heroes

Victoria will pay tribute to the British Columbians who fell in the war when Memorial Avenue is formally dedicated this afternoon. The service will take place at 3 o'clock with Lieutenant-Governor Walter C. Nichol officiating.

The Chamber of Commerce, which has taken the initiative in the establishment of Memorial Avenue as a lasting token to the honor of those who fell for the Empire, yesterday completed arrangements for the transportation of the public to the scene of the ceremony at the Mount Douglas end of Shelbourne Street. Jitneys will leave the corner of Yates and Douglas Streets at frequent intervals between 1:30 and 2 o'clock. The dedication will take place promptly at 3. Right-shouldering cars will leave the Post Office at 2.

Three special street cars will transport troops from Work Point Barracks to take part in the event. In addition to the garrison detachment, the 5th Regiment, the 14th Battalion, the Boy Scouts and the Royal Naval Brigade will be represented. Permission has been granted ex-service men and militiamen to appear in uniform. The guard of honor for the Lieutenant-Governor will be from the permanent forces from Work Point Barracks.

The complete programme is as follows:

3 p.m.—Band Selections.  
3:25 p.m.—Arrival of the Lieutenant-Governor.  
3:30 p.m.—Firing explosive charges to blast holes to receive trees.  
3:35 p.m.—The Lieutenant-Governor to open ceremonies with dedicatory address, to be followed by an address from the Premier.

3:50 p.m.—Planting of the first tree by His Honor.  
3:55 p.m.—Sounding of "Last Post."  
4 p.m.—Dedicatory Hymn.  
4:05 p.m.—The Benediction.  
4:10 p.m.—Sounding of "Reveille."

"God Save the King."

All officers and men who left with the first overseas detachment from Victoria have been asked to report immediately after the ceremonies to Lieut.-Col. R. Ross Napier so that group photographs may be taken.

Burned by Sulphuric Acid  
VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—A. C. Macgown, a returned soldier of Port Moody, died in the New Westminster hospital tonight. While working on the roof of a building at the oil refineries at Inco, B.C., he slipped and fell into a tank of sulphuric acid.

## LOCAL MEMBER RUNS IN CARIBOO

Mr. H. G. Perry Is Chosen as Candidate for Dominion by Liberals There—Two Vacancies Made

### DISSOLUTION ORDER COMES THIS WEEK

Elections Likely to Be Held in First Week of December—Premier Meighen to Speak in Nova Scotia on Tuesday

VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—In addition to the Vancouver seat which will be vacated by the nomination of M. A. MacDonald in Burrard, at least one more provincial constituency will be opened as a result of yesterday's Liberal convention in Kamloops, when H. G. Perry, M.P., was chosen as the Liberal candidate in Cariboo. Mr. Perry, who was nominated on the first ballot, was formerly Mayor of Prince George, and was elected to the Legislature for that constituency last year.

A three-cornered fight in Cariboo is now assured, as T. G. McBride, of Duck Lake is in the field for the National Progressives, and F. J. Fulton, M.P., is certain of nomination as a government supporter.

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—It was announced here this morning that Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen would speak at the Government convention for the electoral district of Cumberland, N.S., on Tuesday afternoon, at Amherst.

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—The Prime Minister stated this afternoon that a recommendation had been made regarding the selection and appointment of returning officers. These are rapidly being completed. It is expected that the writs for the elections will be issued very shortly. The exact date of the election cannot be fixed until the names of officers have been decided upon, but it will undoubtedly be during the first week in December.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 1.—At a largely attended meeting here this afternoon, E. W. Nesbitt, the present member, was nominated as the standard-bearer for the National Liberal and Conservative party in North Oxford.

BARNIA, Ont., Oct. 1.—Stating that as yet no overtures had been made to him by the West Lambton Liberals, Fred Barrie, M.P., refused last night to discuss rumors that he was soon to take over the leadership of the Liberal party in Ontario.

REGINA, Oct. 1.—J. R. Mother, provincial Minister of Agriculture, was nominated last night as Liberal candidate for the Regina federal constituency.

STETTLE, Alta., Oct. 1.—J. F. Speckman, of Poncha, was nominated on the third ballot as U.F.A. candidate for the riding of Red Deer, Friday.

NAPANEE, Ont., Oct. 1.—E. J. Seaman has been nominated as the Progressive candidate for the federal riding of Lennox and Addington.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Oct. 1.—The Standard today says that Hon. Wm. Pugsley is to resign as Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick and stand as a Liberal candidate in Royal, N.B. The member for Royal now is General H. H. McLean, and the newspaper says he will be the new Lieutenant-Governor.

Killed by Fall From Wharf  
VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—William G. Bailey, a hotel clerk, was killed last night when he fell from the edge of the dock and struck his head on a guard log at the water level. Bailey was talking to employees on the Princess Adelaide and apparently lost his balance. He was booked to sail for Australia next Friday. His relatives are all in England, so far as is known.

Canadian Legion Report  
TORONTO, Oct. 1.—Substantial headway has been made toward bringing all soldiers' organizations in the Dominion into one body, to be known as the Canadian Legion, according to reports made to the advisory council, which met here yesterday. Many prominent military men have consented to serve on the council.

## LEAGUE'S ASSEMBLY DEBATES QUESTION OF LIMITING ARMS

### OILFIELD STRIKERS ACCUSED OF ROWDYISM

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—Striking oil field workers have resorted to intimidation of the families of men who decided to walk out in the Midway district, a statement from G. M. Swindell, secretary of the Oil Producers' Association, today declared. The statement in part follows:

"Our reports indicate that in the Midway district particularly the strikers are now frightening the wives and families of loyal employees while these employees are away from home."

"Men unknown in Coalinga, evidently brought from the fields of Kern County, and known among the strikers as 'top-up' gangs, have committed depredations, beaten up a few loyal employees, and threatened and intimidated other employees who remained at work. They have beaten a cripple and a youth, acting as messenger."

The statement adds that in the opinion of independent operators, "it is very doubtful whether conditions prevailing in the oil fields prior to the strike will develop for many weeks, even should the strike be settled promptly."

## WAGE DEMANDS ARE LEFT OVER

United Mine Workers Postpone Their Framing Until February—Special Assessment for Benefit of Idle Miners

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 1.—Postponement until next February of the framing of coal miners' wage demands was voted today by the U.M.W. of America. In doing so, the delegates overwhelmingly approved the recommendation of President John L. Lewis, who urged the delay so as not to displease the miners' terms six months before the expiration of the present agreements with operators.

Although there was no discussion of new demands, the delegates indicated that they favored a strike, if necessary, to obtain increases for the miners. They also approved the report of Vice-President Murray, in which he declared in favor of fighting for improvement of conditions in both anthracite and bituminous fields that expire next March 31.

In addition the convention went on record as opposing wage reductions by pledging the union's financial support to Colorado and Washington miners, now idle. Further, the delegates voted to raise approximately \$1,500,000 by special assessment of the membership to help the unemployed miners, now idle. Further, the delegates voted to raise approximately \$1,500,000 by special assessment of the membership to help the unemployed miners, now idle.

Apparently alarmed by private advice from the West Virginia strike district, the delegates also directed that an appeal be made to President Harding for the protection of 128 miners who are prisoners in the Logan and Williamson county jails. President Lewis appointed a committee to call at the White House next week.

Winipeg Man Dies of Injuries  
WINNIPEG, Oct. 1.—Frank Culen, a local resident, died at noon today as the result of injuries received two hours before when he was knocked from his bicycle by a runaway horse.

Battle With Ku Klux Klan  
WACO, Tex., Oct. 1.—Nine men were wounded in a gun fight between a sheriff's posse and participants in a Ku Klux Klan parade at Lorena, fourteen miles south of here, tonight.

## MUST FIND WORK FOR IDLE MEN

Business Men and Labor Leaders in States Confer on Means of Carrying Out Emergency Programme

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Capital and labor joined forces here tonight to fight the unemployment problem through community organization, of the emergency programme for the immediate relief of the nation's idle wage earners adopted by the national conference on unemployment.

In an appeal to the businessmen and chambers of commerce of the country to actively support the programme, Joseph H. DeFries, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, declared "that business has a great responsibility in the situation; it must furnish employment."

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a formal statement expressed his confidence that "the trade union movement is each community will join energetically in the effort to assist in the task of providing work for the thousands who are idle."

Both Mr. DeFries and Mr. Gompers are members of the conference, and assisted in drafting the emergency programme.

Speakers in Debate Express Disappointment at Failure to Achieve Results in That Direction—Capt. Bruce States Position of Australia in the Matter of Needful Defence

## HOPES CONFERENCE MAY DO SOMETHING

Delegates of Different Countries Give Views as to Possible Beginning of Disarmament—M. Noblemaire Defends France From Charge of Militarism—Lord Robert Cecil's Suggestions

GENEVA, Oct. 1.—Disappointment at the absence of the results attempted by the League of Nations since the last assembly and hope in the forthcoming Washington conference, were the two principal sentiments expressed in today's debate by the Assembly on disarmament.

Many seats were empty on the floor of the Assembly, the question having been fully threshed out in committee. The Assembly, however, was aroused to considerable enthusiasm, particularly by the eloquent defence of M. Noblemaire, of France, against a charge of militarism brought against his country.

Lord Robert Cecil, who presented the committee report on disarmament, said he hoped the Washington conference would do something for the control of private manufacture and traffic in arms.

Captain Melbourne Bruce, of Australia, who followed Lord Robert, said it was a matter of as much interest to Europe as to Australia if his country were obliged to go on arming, following the example of Asiatic countries, in order to protect its 12,000 miles of seacoast.

"We can do it," he said. "We have shown we could do it during the war. However, we have great hopes that the Washington conference will make it unnecessary for us to do so. But if the Washington conference draws up concrete plans, are we ready to respond? A year ago the Assembly expressed the same wish, and the year which has just passed has been wasted."

Lord Robert then said:

"If we can find out just what appropriations for armaments are required to keep order in the interior countries and protect treaties, then we can find out how much is needed to satisfy the hatred among nations."

Hjalmar Branting, of Sweden, expressed the opinion that conditions in some countries made it impossible for them to begin disarmament now. "But that is no reason why disarmament in other countries should not begin immediately," he said. "All the countries would appreciate steps taken by the League in this direction."

Signor Schanzer, of the Italian delegation, said:

"Disarmament not only is a guarantee of peace between nations, but also the assertion of peace between classes. The Washington conference has the same object in view as we have. I want to express the hope that the two efforts will ultimately join, but the League of Nations must in any case go on with its work, without rejecting any co-operation."

M. Noblemaire, in his defence against the accusations of militarism against France, said:

"Our attitude is the same as it was last year, and the same as it was in 1919, when France demanded disarmament contingently upon only the League of Nations. I want to reject, with all the energy I am capable of, the accusations of militarism that certain persons have brought against France."

"No one wants war less than France, because no one suffered so much from the war as she did. All France wants is her security. Germany practically is disarmed by military, but there remains to be effected her disarmament in spirit."

After declaring that France adhered without reserve to the programme of disarmament, M. Noblemaire continued:

"France will propose that in the form and at the time accepted by the different governments the investigations which the Council of the League deems necessary shall be proceeded with, practically and efficaciously."

M. Noblemaire received an ovation. The Belgian delegate, Paul Hymans, expressed the profound impression which had been made by the French representative's speech. In this H. A. L. Fisher concurred. Lord Robert Cecil said that if this Assembly had produced nothing else than M. Noblemaire's speech, it would have justified its existence.

## RIVAL CHINESE TONGS JOIN IN CELEBRATION

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Members of the Hip Sing tong and the On Leung tong, rival Chinese associations, mingled in peace today when the latter celebrated the opening of its new building in the heart of Chinatown, the scene in past years of many a murder arising out of the tong wars.

The On Leung tong congregated from all parts of the country and began their nine days' reunion by speeches and festivities. All Chinatown joined in the celebration, and the streets, with many Chinese visitors, and hung with gay banners and hundreds of Chinese lanterns, attracted thousands of visitors.

The new building is designed along Oriental lines. It contains banquet halls and dormitories for On Leung tong members.

Added to Canadian Delegation  
OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—The delegation from Canada to the international labor conference to be held in Geneva, commencing October 25, has been increased by the appointment of Hon. Antonio Galipeault, Minister of Labor for the Province of Quebec. Mr. Galipeault has been named by the Province as technical adviser to the Government delegates.

### ESQUIMALT

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## DOMINION RULE ASKED IN INDIA

Resolution Favoring More Local Self-Government Is Passed by Legislature—Moplah Rebels at Work

LONDON, Oct. 1.—A Reuter dispatch from Simla, where the Indian Legislature is now meeting in the newly-completed assembly hall, says there is an eagerness on the part of a section of the population to secure full dominion self-government. This is evidenced by the assembly devoting a full day to the discussion of a motion by a non-official Bengal member favoring complete provincial autonomy, early extension of responsibility in the central government and conference of full dominion self-government, beginning with the fourth term of the Legislative assembly in 1923.

An amendment to the motion, moved by a Bombay member, referring the matter to the committee, was rejected after a long debate, in which Government members pointed out that any further measure of political advance must be decided by the Secretary of State for India and the Parliament.

Hon. W. M. Bailey, finance member of the Governor-General's council, referred to the views of the Legislative assembly that the political progress of India warranted a re-examination and revision of the constitution earlier than 1923, the date laid down by the Government of India Act.

A dispatch from Reuter's correspondent in Simla says: "In replying to a question in the House of Representatives, the Home Secretary, Mr. W. H. Vincent, said that the latest reports from the Malabar districts showed that Moplah armed fighting had been going on since September 1920. Their resistance strengthened, and the tactics adopted by them will likely result in protracted military operations."

## VETERANS AGREE ON CO-OPERATION

G.W.V.A. Accepts Invitation of American Legion for Reciprocity in Services That Can Be Rendered

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—A definite basis for co-operation between the Great War Veterans' Association of Canada and the American Legion (which represents nearly a million ex-service men in the United States) is outlined in a letter to R. B. Maxwell, Dominion president of the G. W. V. A. of Canada, from John G. Emery, national commander of the American Legion. The G. W. V. A. has arranged to reciprocate in kind the matters of co-operative service suggested by Mr. Emery. His statement follows:

"The services of the national headquarters of the American Legion in bringing to the attention, through the press, of the American Legion throughout the country, any matters which your association or the Government of Canada wishes brought to the attention of former members of the Canadian or British forces now in the United States."

"Services of our organization in assisting you in locating or extending relief to any individual or former member of the Canadian or British forces now in the United States."

"We will be glad to receive and to recognize officially letters of identification granted by yourself to any members of your association traveling in the United States and to extend to them such assistance or courtesy as the different parts of our organization may be able to provide."

"Such interchange of correspondence as may be desirable to protect the good names of the service men in our respective countries."

"We will refer to you for an expression of your opinion any applications for endorsement or official recognition received here from associations of Canadian veterans in the United States."

"We desire a delegation from your association, including, if possible, your president in office, to attend our third annual convention in Kansas City, Mo., October 31, November 1 and 2, 1921, and to accept the hospitality of the American Legion while in the convention city."

"There are many subjects in which the Canadian and American veterans are mutually interested. I feel certain that these can be developed and our mutual interest conserved, understanding and friendship strengthened by an interchange of correspondence between our respective headquarters. As you know, we have already been invited to be represented at your convention in Fort Arthur, for which courtesy I extend our appreciation upon behalf of the American Legion."

## The Origin of Gall Stones

They are simply dried bile made up of crystalline constituents of that fluid. Very common in this disease among merchants, clerical men, shop girls, and those of sedentary habits. Prevention consists in maintaining correct action of the liver and bowels, and this is speedily accomplished by using Dr. Hamilton's Pills. No person using Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Man-drake and Butterick, 25c, all dealers or The Catarrh Co., Montreal, can be expected to be free of gall stones. (Advt.)

## FRAUDS IN EXCHANGE LESS THAN EXPECTED

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—It was announced today that the Clarkson Commission, investigating alleged frauds in the Militia Department in connection with the exchanging of British money at par, will sit again in Ottawa early in October. From present appearances it is expected that this will be the final sitting of the commission.

While in the West the commission held hearings in Vancouver and Victoria. It is understood that the commission's work on the Coast has tended to show that the alleged frauds have not reached anything like the extent which was originally feared.

## MR. DOHERTY FIGHTS AGAINST ARTICLE X.

GENEVA, Oct. 1.—Hon. C. J. Doherty, Canadian representative on the League of Nations assembly, has today rejected a motion for the amendment of Article X of the League of Nations covenant. This afternoon he gave an exhaustive argument that greatly impressed the committee. It was then suggested that the interpretative resolution be dropped, that Mr. Doherty's amendment stand on the agenda and that the assembly be asked again to refer the matter for investigation with a report to the next assembly.

Mr. Doherty was not ready to agree to this procedure, and asked permission to think it over until tomorrow, when the committee will again consider the question.

## MOORS ARE DEFEATED IN FIERCE ENCOUNTER

MELILLA, Oct. 1.—An aviation squadron dropped 200 bombs on the positions of the Moors during the fighting at Tiza. Spanish artillery caused enormous damage, the greater part of the enemy's positions being destroyed.

The Melilla batteries continued their bombardment of the positions of the Moors.

The fighting at Tiza is regarded as the severest in which the Spanish expeditionary force has yet been engaged.

The Spaniards were compelled to put 15,000 men in the line. These resolutely fought their way through Tiza, preventing an attempt by the Moors to surround the town.

The Spanish losses admittedly were severe, but the Moors must have been badly defeated, as they failed to harass the Spanish retreat, which they invariably do.

## BRITAIN PROTECTING ITS KEY INDUSTRIES

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Customs duties equal to one-third of the value of certain imported goods will be levied, beginning today, under Great Britain's act for safeguarding industries, which became operative this morning.

These duties will be applied to 4,000 individual articles, including optical and other scientific instruments and various manufactured metals and chemicals. The making of these products is regarded as the "key" industries.

One newspaper today suggested ironically some doubt as to the value of the act, expressing wonder "whether any trade soon will be left to safeguard."

## CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY LOSES ON RUBBER

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Sensational disclosures are made regarding the co-operative wholesale society's heavy trading losses.

A loss of approximately one million sterling is shown to have been incurred in connection with a subsidiary company financed jointly by the English and Scottish societies for the purpose of cultivating tea and rubber in India and Ceylon. The first rubber yielded a profit, but lately values have fallen considerably.

Whatever the ultimate loss, the English society bears three-fourths and the Scottish society one-fourth.

## WILL ADVISE PREMIER ON UNEMPLOYMENT

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The party of experts who departed for Galloosh last night to submit unemployment schemes to Premier Lloyd George consisted of Sir Hope Simpson, W. L. Richins, railway director; Sir Allan Smith, chairman of the managing committee of the Engineering Employers' Federation; W. T. Layton, a writer of economic subjects; Pembroke Wickes, secretary to the cabinet committee on unemployment; and Dudley Ward, manager of the intelligence branch of the British Overseas Bank.

## ADMIRAL INSPECTS ST. JOHN'S WIRELESS

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Oct. 1.—Admiral William C. Fakenham arrived yesterday on the British cruiser Galloosh to inspect the wireless station erected here and used extensively during the war.

Since the armistice has signed the wireless station's usefulness has diminished, but Admiral Fakenham's official visit has brought unconfirmed reports that its utilization is under consideration by the Admiralty in a new plan for wireless communication throughout the Empire.

Victim of Peculiar Accident  
ERICKSDALE, Man., Oct. 1.—Frank Adams, a returned soldier, was killed here yesterday when a soda water tank, which exploded in a drug store destroyed by fire, was hurled into the street and struck him. The tank was working, tearing open his side. The fire destroyed the Travelers' Hotel and the drug store and poolroom adjoining it.

## HAVE FULL HOPE FOR IRISH PEACE

People in Great Britain and Ireland Expect Good Result From Conference—Existence of Difficulties Recognized

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Great Britain was today filled with the hope that a settlement of the Irish problem would follow the meeting of British cabinet members and the representatives of the Sinn Fein in this city on October 11. The prompt reply of Eamonn de Valera accepting Premier Lloyd George's invitation to the conference and the conciliatory tone of the latest exchanges between London and Dublin seemed to promise that out of the conference would come an agreement which would solve a problem which has proved a stumbling block for the ablest statesmen of the British nation.

London newspapers today did not assume that a settlement was certain, and they recognized that the way to peace might be long and difficult, but hope abounded, even if complete concidence was lacking. Premier Lloyd George received praise in some quarters for his skill and patience in handling the troublesome Irish situation, and there was hope expressed that his ability in negotiations would be equal to the task of reconciliation.

Discussing the difficulties ahead, The London Times deprecated the "dominion status" as a fixed formula to which the agreement must conform.

Difficulties Not Ended  
DUBLIN, Oct. 1.—Commenting on the latest phase of the Irish situation, The Irish Independent says: "All the difficulties have not yet disappeared. In this fateful time no Irishman should say or do anything calculated to hamper the negotiators. Their task is no light one. Every patriotic Irishman will wish them goodspeed and pray that the outcome of the negotiations will be happy, satisfactory and honorable, ending the blighting feud of centuries."

Relief Opinions  
BELFAST, Oct. 1.—Commenting on the conference to be held in London, The Nationalist Irish News said today: "The possibility of a disagreement need not be dismissed, but we believe nobody outside the ranks of the enemies of peace will regard that possibility as a probability. The best interests of Ireland, Great Britain and the world are involved in a just settlement of the Irish problem, which will end the oldest war in history. A great opportunity has arisen."

The Northern Whig, Unionist, scouted the idea that Britain would give way on the question of an Irish republic. It says:

"The other way to peace is by acceptance of membership in the Empire. Here we find a barrier in explicit statements that the demand for complete independence must be insisted upon. Voluntary assent to the inclusion of Ireland in the British Empire means the end of Sinn Feinism. We may hope this road will be chosen, but in view of what is known of the origin and history of the Sinn Fein, it is rational to denounce everyone who ventures to hint a doubt regarding the possibility of its realization."

## CONCESSIONS NECESSARY

CORK, Oct. 1.—Concessions by both sides in the conference to be held in London October 11 will do much to facilitate the reaching of an agreement making for peace in Ireland, says The Cork Examiner this morning, commenting upon the latest exchange of notes between London and Dublin.

"The Irish people," the newspaper added, "are genuinely sincere in their desire for accommodation of the differences, which must be fairly adjusted if the war is to be ended and honorable peace achieved. They are equally sincere in the belief that the conference will supply a means by which the desired ends may be attained and while aware that grave difficulties exist, they are convinced that when the conferences get to close quarters with these difficulties, a give-and-take policy will smooth the way and dissolve them."

## INTERMENT CAMPS

DUBLIN, Oct. 1.—The Freeman's Journal, expressing satisfaction over Mr. de Valera's reply to Mr. Lloyd George, says the people of both countries will hope the possibilities, not only will be explored but realized.

"In the meantime," says the newspaper, "let the peace atmosphere be maintained more carefully than ever. Every risk to its maintenance should be removed. The existence of internment camps involves a hundred such risks. Untried and innocent men there are not receiving the treatment of untried prisoners. The camps are not sanitary. Some of the commandants are as unfit for their jobs as were the commandants of those German camps where British prisoners of war were mistreated. Such conditions constitute an ever-present temptation, and the provocation for danger must be removed. Release the prisoners."

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**RETAIL MERCHANTS ELECT NEW OFFICERS**

Victoria Branch of National Organization Will Be Headed During Coming Year by Mr. H. S. Stevenson

A well-attended meeting of the members of the Victoria branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada was held last Friday evening for the purpose of receiving a report of Mr. R. Hill Fairley, the Provincial organizer, and for the appointment of officers for the ensuing year.

In his report Mr. Fairley stated that the work of the membership campaign during the past two weeks had been a huge success, and that there was now no doubt that the Victoria branch of the association would be up to the same high standard as the other branches in the Province, and would afford great material assistance to all of its members in the city.

The officers appointed for the ensuing year were as follows: President, Mr. H. S. Stevenson; first vice-president, Mr. A. E. G. Cornwell; second vice-president, Mr. Herbert Kent; hon. treasurer, Mr. P. B. Scutrah; hon. secretary, Mr. G. W. Newton. The following members were appointed to the advisory board: Messrs. W. Ballard, W. H. Bone, H. M. Dixon and E. C. Hayward. It was also resolved that the chairman of each trade section to be formed should be a member ex-officio of the advisory committee.

The president addressed the meeting on New Taxation Problems, after which he was elected as delegate to the meeting of the Provincial Executive to be held in Vancouver on Wednesday, Oct. 5.

Whilst the scrutineers were engaged in their duties, Mr. Richards and Mr. Brockhurst addressed the meeting. Mr. Richards gave his recent experience with the Government officials regarding taxation, which, although amusing to his hearers, was a very serious matter to himself. Mr. Brockhurst said a few words relative to his attendance at the recent convention of the Retail Merchants at Duncan, which were both amusing and informative.

**ESQUIMALT ELECTORS MEET MONDAY NIGHT**

Supporters of Meighen Administration Will Organize National Liberal and Conservative Party

Interest in Esquimalt political circles centres in the meeting of supporters of the Meighen administration which will be held tomorrow night at the Box Theatre to organize a National Liberal and Conservative Association, elect officers and appoint delegates to attend the forthcoming nominating convention of the party to be held shortly at Duncan.

It is certain there will be a large attendance of electors of the district and the committee in charge has made every arrangement to facilitate the transaction of the large amount of business to be presented. It was the hope of the committee that Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture, and Mr. W. A. Logan, provincial organizer for the Government forces, would be present and speak, but as both gentlemen will be in Vancouver on Monday night attending a meeting of federal members and leading men of the party, they will not be able to attend the Esquimalt gathering. Hon. Dr. Tolmie, however, has promised that if possible he will address the electors of Esquimalt at some future date.

The nominating convention at which Liberals of Victoria will select their candidate to contest the local seat against Hon. S. F. Tolmie, will be held next Thursday evening at the Liberal Club. It was announced yesterday by Mr. William Ives, president of the Victoria Liberal Association. A meeting of the Liberal executive was held last night at which arrangements for the nominating convention were made. A committee will be named to interview the various likely candidates for nomination and a report will be made at next Thursday's meeting. It is being assured that all those whose names are up for nomination are willing to accept the honor should it be tendered to them.

Dr. Tolmie's Campaign  
Plans for immediately inaugurating the campaign in behalf of Hon. Simon F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture, were discussed at a meeting last night in the Esquimalt club, of the central executive committee of the newly formed National Liberal and Conservative Association of Victoria, the government supporters who have rallied behind the Minister and are determined to place him at the head of the polls in the federal contest.

**PIMPLES ITCHED AND BURNED**

Face Was Badly Disfigured. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Healed.

"Small red pimples and black heads began on my face and my face was badly disfigured. Some of the pimples festered while others scalded over and there were places where the pimples were so thick that they were as itched and burned terribly. I saw an advertisement for Cuticura and I tried them. They stopped the itching and burning and I used four cakes of Soap and three boxes of Ointment which healed me." (Signed) Miss V. A. Haynes, Esquimalt, N. S., Dec. 26, '18.

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Mr. C. T. Cross, president of the association, was in the chair and spoke most hopefully of the outlook for the Minister's campaign.

Campaign headquarters have been secured in the old St. Francis Hotel, lower Yates Street and immediate steps to perfect the war organization will be undertaken. Towards the end of the week Wards Four and Five organizations will be undertaken and the other wards immediately afterwards.

At last night's meeting Hon. Dr. Tolmie was present and spoke briefly, giving an encouraging report of Premier Meighen's visit to the Prairies, which, he stated, had proved so successful as to exceed the hopes of the Premier. Throughout the Dominion, Hon. Dr. Tolmie stated, the political situation is looking excellent from the standpoint of the Government, according to reports he has received.

The annual meeting of the Junior Liberal Association will be held tomorrow night in the new Liberal Club quarters, corner of Government and Broughton streets, commencing at 8 o'clock. Among business to be transacted will be the election of officers and the share to be taken in the forthcoming federal contest by the association will be considered. All young men and women of the city are invited to attend the meeting.

**INSURANCE AGENTS TO CONVENE HERE**

British Columbia Fire Risk Men Will Hold Sessions in Empress Hotel—Comprehensive Programme

The second convention of the British Columbia Fire Insurance Agents' Association will be held in Victoria next Thursday and Friday, at the Empress Hotel, under the presidency of Mr. H. B. Leuty, of Vancouver.

The draft of a provincial constitution will be presented by Mr. A. McCree, it having been found desirable to establish a conformity throughout the Province instead of each local association having its own code.

Addresses will be given during the congress on the subjects of vital interest to the fire insurance business, by Mr. T. W. Greer, president of the B.C.F.I.A.; Senator A. E. Planta, of Nanaimo; Mr. O. W. Campbell, president of the Victoria association, and Mr. R. W. DeLass. On Thursday evening a round table conference will take place on any subject of general interest to the agents of the Province. On Friday afternoon an address will be given by Mr. A. W. McLeod, of New Westminster, and the election of new officers will take place.

Winds up at Banquet

The convention will be wound up on Friday evening by a banquet at the Empress Hotel. This latter is in the hands of a very capable committee, and a very enjoyable time is promised to all who attend.

The benefit of the local agents' associations to the general public has been very palpably demonstrated the last few months in the reduction obtained by the associations in the premium rates upon residential risks in the City of Victoria. By this one item alone they have saved the citizens of Victoria many thousands of dollars and enabled them to place their dwellings in a more secure position against the fire hazard.

The programme follows:

Thursday—Morning Session, 9:15

Roll call.  
Chairman's address, reviewing work of past year, including conference at Niagara Falls.

Legislation: Licensing and qualification of fire insurance agents in British Columbia; introduced by Mr. H. B. Leuty, president Vancouver Fire Agents' Association.

Afternoon Session, 2 o'clock

Introduction of a draft of a suggested constitution and by-laws to provide for a British Columbia Fire Insurance Agents' Association; introduced by Mr. A. McCree.

Appointment of Nominating Committee.

Address: Co-operation, by Mr. R. W. Douglas.

Evening Session, 8 o'clock

Round table conference on any subject of general interest to the agents of the Province.

Friday Morning Session, 9:15

Address: "Education of the Agent," by Mr. T. W. Greer, president B.C. Fire Underwriters' Association.

Address: "Education of the Public by the Agent," by Mr. D. W. Campbell, president Victoria Association.

Afternoon Session, 2 o'clock

Address: "Service," by Mr. A. W. McLeod, New Westminster.

Address: "Problems of the Local Agent," by Senator A. E. Planta.

Unfinished business.

Election of officers.

Adjournment.

Banquet, Empress Hotel, 7 p.m.

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Tri-Weekly Service Instead of Daily for Courtenay Is Announced by E. & N.—Chamber of Commerce News

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway intends to reduce the Courtenay service from a daily train to a tri-weekly one, and the change will probably be made effective November 1.

This was the information given to a committee of the Chamber of Commerce by Mr. H. B. Boney, general superintendent of the road. Earlier reports were that the change would be made October 1, but these were dispelled by Mr. Boney. It is understood that the service will probably be restored in the Spring, or when business shows satisfactory improvement.

President James H. Beatty will report on the conference with Mr. Boney at tomorrow's meeting of the directors, which will take the form of a luncheon at the Dominion Hotel.

Among the guests at the luncheon will be Mr. H. C. Cox, president of the Canada Life Assurance Company, Toronto, who will give a short address on business and financial conditions in Eastern Canada.

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Two men who were in charge of the car were taken to police headquarters, but pending investigation into the story told by the men, that the liquor was to have been loaded upon a boat in the Inner Harbor and shipped to Mexico, no formal charge against the pair was laid. The two men must show that they were in legal possession of the liquor, which bore no Government stamp.

Mr. C. N. Wilde, of the Import branch of the Department of Trade and Commerce, will give an address, outlining the means by which the department may be of service to manufacturers and exporters.

Mr. Arthur Lineham will report on the progress of his scheme for the capitalization of the Province's natural assets, and development of tourist traffic.

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VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—Out of a total of eight inquests held in this city by Coroner Jeffs during September, three were on bodies of persons who succumbed to injuries received in automobile accidents. One verdict of suicide was returned, one of death from burns, one of natural causes, one accidental death and one death due to parental neglect and improper feeding.

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## PREMIER IN QUEBEC

Premier Melgahn has carried his campaign into the stronghold of Liberalism in Quebec, and he has spoken there, as elsewhere, in downright opposition to the tariff policies enunciated by Mr. Mackenzie King and Mr. Crerar. In Montreal he was on strong ground, for the people there believe in protection as they do everywhere on this continent that industry and commerce are menaced by any policy tending to free trade. What everyone must admit is the consistency of the course pursued by the Prime Minister in his election campaign. Protection for Canadian industries is the watchword of his party, and he makes a national, not a sectional appeal that this policy be continued, because it embodies what is best for the future material prosperity of the country. He told his Quebec audience how the Liberal leader is pleading for amalgamation between the party he controls and the Farmers' organization, on the ground that their tariff promises are practically the same, but Mr. Melgahn also showed that the utterances of Mr. Mackenzie King show apostasy to the Liberal convention platform. Mr. King seems to have two policies, one for the agricultural West and another for the manufacturing East, and they are irreconcilable. In defending the existing tariff policy, Mr. Melgahn said:

Canada's best course is to depend to the least possible extent upon the American tariff policy, American factories and American means of distribution. Canada should develop her own markets and at the same time carry on a mutual trade with the United States. It is not proposed, by the Government, that Canada should go into a position where any of her vital interests could be destroyed by tariff changes of the United States. It is necessary for Canada to legislate on tariff matters to the best interests of Canada alone, and not to have tariff entanglements of any kind with the country that is Canada's biggest competitor. If this question is decided right in the forthcoming election, the country would progress. An inconclusive verdict would result in stagnation.

It is, as Premier Melgahn pointed out before, the inconclusiveness of the situation which is at present retarding trade development in this country. The presence of three major political parties in the field, each seeking to secure the reins of power at Ottawa, has contributed to the feeling of uncertainty. For it is felt that, under certain circumstances, and if the results of the coming election are inconclusive, that the tariff policy of the country will be made the sport of political ambitions. In the matter of good government there should be a strong, powerful and cohesive party elected to office. In the matter of industrial development it is essential that the tariff policy now in force should be continued. Class administration or group government at Ottawa would not prove in the national interests of the people, and yet these appear to be the only alternatives to the present Cabinet. Premier Melgahn is on the strongest possible grounds in both his economic and political appeal to the people. He does not wish to place Canada at the mercy of foreign competitors, as would undoubtedly be the case if a free trade policy triumphed at the polls.

## POLITICAL REPRESENTATION

The standing of the parties in the present House of Commons is, Government, 135; Liberals, 82; Progressives, 14, and Independents, 6. This accounts for 237 members out of 285, and there are eight vacancies. Of the Liberal membership in the present House of Commons, as it was constituted when elected, sixty-three came from the Province of Quebec, that Province, in 1917, having given almost a solid representation to the party which opposed conscription during the concluding years of the Great War. The old Conservative Government, which entered office in 1911, winning on the appeal against reciprocity with the United States, started its career with 133 members supporting it. The balance of the House of Commons being made up of eighty-six Liberals and two Independents. It is worthy of note that in the 1911 contest, and when the tariff policy of the country was being definitely attacked, the Liberals supporting that policy sustained heavy losses in the Province of Quebec. Out of the sixty-five seats there the Conservatives won twenty-seven, with thirty-seven going to the Liberals and one to the Independents. Ontario in that election gave a pronounced majority to the Conservative party, returning seventy-two Conservatives out of the eighty-six seats to which it was privileged to elect members.

This was the final election of 1917, which brought about a fusion of the Conservative interests with those Liberals who were in favor of Canada severing every effort in her power to bring about the defeat of Germany,

resulted in a conclusive victory for the Government of Sir Robert Borden. The standing of the parties after the election was, Government 153, and Opposition 82. Of the Opposition, sixty-three members came from the anti-conscriptionist followers of the Liberal Party in Quebec. With the coming of peace and differences of opinion which arose over how policies of reconstruction could be carried out, the majority of the Government declined through secessions from its ranks and through adverse results in by-elections. The past few years have marked the building up of the National Progressive (Farmers) Party under the leadership of Mr. T. A. Crerar, and this party is now strongly organized in the three Prairie Provinces and in Ontario. It is an agrarian party in every sense of the term, formed to defend and advance agricultural interests and pledged to the policy, the ultimate aim of which is to introduce free trade.

Since the election of 1917 the Liberals, as a political party, have gained few, if any, concessions to strength in the House of Commons. The lamentable death of Sir Wilfrid Laurier has deprived that party of the strongest and most magnetic leadership it has enjoyed since Confederation. Results of by-elections indicate that the growth of the Farmers' Party to political strength is destined to make deep incursions into the representation of Liberals in the House of Commons, though it is doubtful if the agrarian party can infringe on the Liberal stronghold of Quebec. In the coming election there is a widespread opinion that the Farmers will emerge with the largest representation from the three Prairie Provinces, but that Ontario and British Columbia will give their majorities to the Melgahn Government. The Maritime Provinces are expected to divide their representation among the three political parties, possibly with no one of them showing any ascendancy in that part of the Dominion. Quebec is bound to exercise a considerable influence on the final result, but the Liberals cannot hope to secure in that Province anything like the percentage of success they won when their policy was one of anti-conscription.

## SAAKCH WATER BY-LAW

The vote in favor of the Saanich water by-law, giving a majority which must have surprised its most ardent supporters, is a matter of congratulation to the people of the Saanich Head district. That part of Saanich is one of the most favored of all, and with an adequate domestic water supply it should be assured of continuous development, as up-to-date facilities in this particular would undoubtedly attract residents, both those who are wealthy and others who seek to make a living in agriculture, and particularly fruit growing. The sponsors of the water by-law were able to persuade the people that it would not involve any additional taxation on those who did not actually benefit from the water to be provided, and the realization of this was responsible for the majority given. It will now be the duty of the Saanich Council to implement its promises and to provide all those necessary safeguards which will prevent taxation throughout the municipality being increased. That is the crying need of the time in the municipal field, that not only should taxation not be increased, but, on the contrary, reduced, so that the people may be able to pay their way.

## BAND WILL CONDUCT

## PROMENADE CONCERTS

Fifth Regiment Will Shortly Inaugurate New Entertainment Features on Saturday Nights at Drill Hall

Promenade band concerts, supplemented with other attractions, will be given in the Drill Hall every Saturday night by the Fifth Regiment band, commencing in several weeks' time, in consequence of a decision to discontinue the band at a well-attended meeting of the Fifth Regiment, C.G.A., last night, with Col. F. A. Robertson presiding. The gathering was called to discuss the winter athletic programme of the organization. Arrangements were made to conduct a basketball game between the Fifth Regiment and the J.R.A.A. five in the Drill Hall on the opening night of the promenade concerts. The boys have a good team, and a lively time is expected when the two sets of basketballers come together.

A committee, headed by Major G. G. Aitken and Bandmaster Rumbey, of the Fifth band, were appointed to complete the details for the coming season. Other members on the committee include Sergeant-Major Frank Hatcher, Quartermaster-Sergeant Ford, Sergeant Gornall, Corporal Prescott, Sergeant B. B. Bowden, Sergeant Colbert and Corporal McIntyre.

It was decided to stage a basketball match next Saturday night between the officers of the Fifth and a team composed of all other ranks. This game will be open to the public, and it will start at 8 o'clock. It is probable that dancing will be the order of the day at the end of the game. The band will render selections during the evening.

Members of the organization are asked to take part in the tree planting memorial ceremonies today. They are asked to appear in uniform at the end of North Shelbourne Street at 3 o'clock, where they will form. In view of the importance of this anniversary, it is hoped that a large representation from the Fifth Regiment will be present.

## SCOTCHIE DEALS WITH A BURGLARY

"He who takes what is his own, when he's caught will gang tae prison."

It's no my ain poetry, I'm no a poet, but an infamous writer o' Scotch prose. I put the rhyme in, as a kind o' 't'ae' 't'ae' stair tellin' y' aboot a burglary. There bein' an epedemo' 't'ae' noo o' burglary, I'll like the sma' 't'ae' o' the cut-throat, I'm thinkin' 't'ae' time tae say somethin' aboot it. (The family who were the heroes (that's) no the richt word, but let it gang) aboot a fortnicht afore the vest depensied wi' the hired help 't'ae' hoose (which goes tae show an economical disposition).

Noo, that accounts for the hoose bein' closed up, an' empty, an' the burglar (I'm gay sorry I canna mention his name as he didna leave his kind) drappit in while they were out, an' no findin' any yin at hame, he collected a' the pretty wee things aboot the hoose as souvenirs o' his visit. You kin well imagine the screeshin' an' talkin' an' the curtains shakin' an' the neighbors a' a' hakin' each an' an' there wusna an enabliant 't'ae' Victoria but wusna under suspicion. After that, someyin smookin' aroon found a basket 't'ae' basement, the burglar left it there a' ready tui he cud gang an' fetch the Reliance van tae ca' for it.

Weel, there wus great rejoicein' 't'ae' hoose, an' everyyin wus happy, especialy the fender o' the bucket, an' arter settin' up a' night, an' pairt o' the next day, a' tra' the burglar, w' a' few siller backed brushes an' s'ich. It wus a' bonny trap, there wus someyin ahint the curtains shakin' room, an' under a' the beds, an' a' Bobby 't'ae' potato sack 't'ae' basement, an' anither 't'ae' water barrel, an' the front door wus left o' the shack, for him tae cum in w'oot knockin'. But there wus naedoby tae see he didna gang out the way he got in. He wus a' decent kin' o' burglar, he wanted him tae tak the siller backed brushes, he took them w' him. It wudna ha' been polly the obblige bein' jist seed a mental "Thank ya," and awa.

Naedoby's clappit een o' him sin. Noe these moralists, they say, a' burglar who really did tak place. Yin, Dinna sack hired help these haired times. Two, Stop gallivantin' roon the toon at night w' the hoose left empty. Three, Dinna tempt a pure man w' siller backed brushes. Four, Keep your weather een open when there's burglars aroon. An' the moral tae the burglar is 't'ae' poem I wrie tae commence w'.

## CENTENNIAL CHURCH SUNDAY SERVICES

On Sunday last the Rev. J. L. Batty preached both morning and evening. His subject in the morning was "A Mountain Experience," the text was from Matthew xviii, 4, "Peter answering said, Lord, it is good for us to be here. If Thou wilt, let us make here a tabernacle, as Thou hast said, 'For three, one for Thee, one for Moses, and one for Elias.'"

In the life of Jesus Christ, there were several important climaxes, beginning with His baptism, then the transfiguration, and afterward His awful experience in Gethsemane, the crucifixion, resurrection and ascension. This morning you are invited to study the transfiguration. To transfigure is to change the appearance, not to alter the character of a person. At one time it was thought that the scene took place on Mount Tabor, but it seems certain that it was on Mount Hermon, one of the highest mountains of Palestine, the summit being covered with perpetual snow. It was to this mountain that Jesus took Peter, James and John, away from the distractions of the city and the multitude. Here Christ was "transfigured before them." Two persons appeared with Him, Moses and Elias, and their appearance was so natural that Peter knew them. Of all the men of Old Testament times, Moses and Elias stood most conspicuously in the former history of the Jews. These two men came out of the spirit world, where they had been for hundreds of years. This is a feature to be emphasized.

He Was Tempted At the commencement of His mission He was tempted of the devil, and we all know how wonderfully He triumphed, and that the angels came and ministered to Him. On this occasion it was not angels who appeared, although they earnestly desire to look into the question of man's salvation; but Moses and Elias, men who, like ourselves, had gone through life, and had passed away to the great beyond, and who were now with Jesus Christ was coming to the end of His work. The shadow of the cross was upon Him, and now He is to look into the question of man's salvation, and to be tempted by the devil.

Many people desire to look into the secret of death, and of the other world; but we cannot go far in that direction. Jewish had not left the world by death, but the chariot wheels had conveyed him away to heaven. These two men (Moses and Elias) were there, with their wonderful experience, were there. It was there on the mountain top, in the presence of Peter, James and John, that the transfiguration took place, when the light of the air we breathe is not pure, but on the mountain top it is absolutely pure. One day in going by train to a certain city in England, I noticed that we passed through a tunnel. Before entering it the sun was shining. At the other end of the tunnel, which was near the city, it was dull and cloudy, and the atmosphere was polluted with smoke and dust. It all depends on the way we are living, and whether we are breathing the pure mountain air.

On the Mountain Top Here were three men on the mountain top, and something wonderful was taking place, some influences were being exerted. One of them (Peter) said, "Lord, it is good for us to be here." The soul of man is a thing that cannot be explained. There are powers outside this world—influences that we are bound to recognize. That is a wonderful fact. Sometimes we meet with people who try to think that there is nothing outside of this life. Perhaps there is something here, here we come up against problems you cannot explain, and you are asking "Is

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there anything in life worth living for?" Or perhaps there is a mother who has done her best for her child, and is disappointed with the result, and she wonders what will happen. Have you spoken to Jesus Christ about it? Remember that He went to the pure atmosphere of the mountain to pray and hold communion with His Father.

A person cannot afford to go to church merely to hear a sermon. There is something more than that. We need to get into the pure atmosphere of devotion, away from the materialism of the world. There are moments when God is doing His work, and we are to be found in the pure air of the mountain.

Have you ever been in a workshop where locomotives are made, or on the Clyde where the biggest ships are built? When a tremendous noise there when men work, he makes a noise. God works in silence. When He wants an oak tree He produces it silently. So with light and darkness; they come and go in silence. The greatest works of God are done in silence. Thus God works in the soul of man.

What a grand thing it was to get into the company of Moses and Elias! It is always good to get into good company, either of men or books. Peter, James and John were in the presence of two glorified patriarchs, and it was good for them that they had such an experience. Men who have such associations will have power to resist temptation. If we are living with the critics, we shall have to get high up into the mountain. I knew a farmer in Lincolnshire who was converted when ploughing. He was taking a rest, and drove a stake in the ground to mark the spot where it took place. When he became discouraged he would go back to that spot and get comfort and strength through the remembrance of what had taken place.

If we are to obtain strength for life's duties we shall have to climb high enough to get into the pure air of communion with God.

## POPULAR TENOR SAYS GOODBYE TO FRIENDS

Victor Edmunds ("Teddy" Petch) Has Concluded Engagement at Capitol, and Will Return to Toronto

With the termination, last night, of his engagement at the new Capitol Theatre, Mr. Victor Edmunds ("Teddy" Petch) leaves his home town for an indefinite period, carrying with him the best wishes of his hosts of friends here, who confidently anticipate that his name will rank among the leading tenors of his time in the course of three or four years. "I intend to make music my career," he told a Colonist reporter as his farewell message to the friends here who have encouraged him to continue his vocal studies. Mr. Petch recognizes that there is no short road to fame, and is prepared to put in many years of hard study and to sacrifice all minor ambitions to this great end, that he may achieve success on the stage.

Although he has sung as an amateur all his life, he has given less than a year to the serious study of music, having gone from Victoria in the late summer of 1920 with Signor Morando, with whom he worked the whole of last winter. Victoria during the past three years has had an opportunity of hearing the result of even this comparatively short period of study.

Remembering he finds one of the simplest things in connection with singing. Recently he has been giving selections from "Martha," and performed the not uncreditable feat of memorizing the fifty-four pages of the score in six days. But after learning the music there was a tremendous amount of work to be done before he could consider himself prepared to sing, voice placing, phrasing, and, last of all, the setting had to be studied before the singer was ready to appear on the concert platform.

## STUDYING OPERATIC RULES

Mr. Petch acknowledged that he is not an instinctive actor; in fact, in all his amateur experience he had never attempted acting, and until he went to Toronto last year to study with Signor Morando he had never even heard of an opera, with the single exception of "Faust," he is still an inexperienced in this respect, but he is already studying a number of operatic roles, "Rigoletto," "La Tosca," "Pagliacci," "Martha," and "Boris and Juliet." His devoted about four hours daily to study. Although he has had from the Capitol Theatre, Ltd., a very gratifying offer, which, if accepted, would mean a 40 week engagement, Mr. Edmunds has decided to forego present success in a monetary way in order to realize his greater musical ambition in the future.

"It has always been my ambition to be a singer. I love singing. But it is only during the past year that I have aspired to anything greater than concert work," he admits, saying that in taking up operatic study he is yielding to the wishes of his master, Signor Morando. In this he is practicing what he claims to be one of the essentials to successful study, viz., confidence in one's teacher. Among the other requirements of the ambitious student, he has learned by experience at this comparatively early date, is physical fitness, a first essential, of course, being voice. In leaving Victoria, Mr. Edmunds wished to express his gratitude to the

friends who had given him such generous encouragement to continue his studies; his wish to succeed was very largely inspired by a desire to justify their hopes and to fulfil the promise they had seen in his voice. When he came back to sing to them in about four year's time, he hoped to have added very considerably to his repertoire and to be able to repay them a good measure.

## PROBLEMS AT HOME WILL DETAIN PREMIER

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Premier Lloyd George will return to London October 5 to attend a cabinet meeting the following day, at which the question of the British representation at the Washington conference on limitation of armaments will be considered.

A semi-official statement today says the Premier has all along been anxious to go to Washington, but that the problems of Ireland and unemployment make it exceedingly doubtful whether he will be able to go. In any case, the statement says, it is unlikely that he could leave for some time to come, and that at the utmost, his absence from Great Britain would be comparatively short.

P.E.I. Liquor Commissioners CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I., Oct. 1.—Because of their congregations objecting to clergymen conducting the sale of liquor, the six prohibition commissioners of Prince Edward Island, and all clergymen, have resigned.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of October 1, 1871.)

A Pioneer Among Pioneers—Death of a Pioneer: Mr. W. P. Crote died at 11 o'clock on Sunday. He crossed the Rocky Mountains forty-three years ago in the Hudson's Bay Company's service. Twenty-five years afterwards he crossed the Rockies again in company with Sir James Douglas and several of the new leading men of the Hudson's Bay Company. Mr. Crote has seen frontier life in all its phases, and built a new and great mill near Port Vancouver, Washington Territory, long before Seattle had commenced his mill of Colima, in California. Mr. Crote's former associates in the company's employ, and the public generally, will be pained to learn that the old pioneer died in very infirm and advanced years. How They Did It Then—Five Deafening Bombs: The election of a chief and an assistant engineer took place yesterday at the Tiner Enginehouse, Johnson Street. Frank Richards of the Hook and Ladder Company was the only candidate for chief, and William Loebe, of the Doland Company, the only candidate for assistant. Both were elected without opposition, each receiving sixty-four votes. There were the usual manifestations of rejoicing.



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## BIDDING ACTIVE FOR FERNWOOD LOTS

### City Again Swamped With Reverted Land as Result of Second Day's Tax Sale—Adjourn Until Monday

One hundred and fifty more parcels of land reverted to the city at yesterday morning's tax sale, making a total of 300 lots that have been taken over by the corporation during the present sale, which will be continued Monday.

Twenty-six parcels of land were purchased by independent investors yesterday for a total of slightly more than \$7,660, bringing the full amount so far received from bidders by the city at this sale to more than \$17,211. Land in Section 13 and the Foul Bay district was offered first yesterday. Part of the Work estate was also placed at the disposal of buyers, as well as a few lots in Fernwood.

The most spirited bidding developed when Fernwood land was offered, one parcel on which delinquent taxes totalled only \$150 being sold for \$1,000, or \$550 above the upset price.

City Treasurer Edwin C. Smith estimates that for every one piece of improved property sold, there are eight unimproved parcels, and demand for vacant lots is light.

The tax sale lists disclose many instances which give an insight into the reason for tax delinquency. Some pieces of property assessed at \$16,000 have taxes against them totalling \$11,000. Most of these are classed as semi-business property. Under such conditions payment is almost out of the question, the taxpayers claiming that they are oppressed not by taxation so much as by a state amounting to nothing less than confiscation.

Monday morning at 10 o'clock Mr. Smith will dispose of lots in the Oaklands district, between Burnside and George Roads and in Victoria West. The sale will probably be wound up Monday.

The sale of land delinquent under the ten-year installment plan will be commenced Wednesday. Mr. Smith announced. At present about 400 parcels come within this class, but payments of instalments between now and Wednesday morning are expected to reduce the total.

## DROWNED YESTERDAY IN ESQUIMALT HARBOR

### Boat in Which William Fraser Was Rowing Ashore From Launch Capsizes—Friends Saw Him Go Under

Through the overturning of the small skiff in which he was rowing from his launch in Constance Cove to the shore, William Fraser, a fisherman, aged about 55 years, was drowned last night at 7:30 o'clock. With William McDuff and John Hawthorne, two friends, Fraser had been on the launch, and when the three left for shore Fraser refused to utilize the rowboat in which the other two had gone to the launch, insisting in entering his own boat, a small, cranky craft.

According to the story told by McDuff and Hawthorne, they were rowing ahead and saw Fraser fall out of his boat into the water, disappearing at once. The two called to men at work on the drydock and then rowed to look for Fraser, whose body was found lying in about six feet of water. It was immediately taken to shore and efforts made at resuscitation, chief Dolly, of the Esquimalt police force, assisting in this work. Dr. McCullum was summoned, and on arrival pronounced life extinct.

Little is known of Fraser, who stayed at the Coast Hotel. Whether he had any relatives here is not known. The Provincial police were notified, and Constable Owens took charge of the body, which was taken to the Sands Funeral establishment. Coroner Hart was notified, and an inquest will be held.

## OBITUARY NOTICES

### GRIFPIN—The funeral of the late Alfred James Griffin, whose death occurred suddenly last Wednesday at Duncan, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and many friends were present at the impressive service conducted by the Rev. J. L. Batty. The casket was hidden beneath a profusion of beautiful flowers. The hymns sung were "Lead, Kindly Light," and "All Hail The Power." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. A. Runney, A. L. Hinkin, John Findler, P. W. Morrison, Wm. Foxall, and D. J. Morton, all brother Masons, of which order deceased was a valued member. At the graveside the burial rites were read by Worshipful Master Douglas B. Muir. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

### BUTTER—The remains of the late Mrs. Mary Butler, this city yesterday afternoon from New Westminster. Deceased was 79 years of age and a resident of this city for many years; late residence, 1717 Haultain Street. The funeral will take place tomorrow, the 3rd inst., at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

### HALL—The death occurred on Friday evening at her home, of Mrs. Kate Hall, beloved wife of Mr. Charles Robert Hall, of 1913 Hillside Avenue. Deceased was 53 years of age, born in Halifax, N.S., and had been a resident of this city for the past three years. She is survived by her husband, two sons, and one daughter: Frank, John Stanley and Winifred Mary, all residing at home; also two sisters, Mrs. (Capt.) C. Watts and Miss Maude (Carnell), both residents of Berkeley, Calif.; the latter at present visiting in this city; also two brothers, of Halifax. The funeral will take place on Monday, October 3, at 3:30 o'clock, from her late home. The Rev. P. A. P. Chadwick will officiate. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

### KEELER—There passed away yesterday morning, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Crink, 1349 Grant Street, Emma, beloved wife of D. R. Keeler, of Davison, Saskatchewan. The late Mrs. Keeler was born in County Frontenac, Ontario, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past few months only. The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, and will be forwarded to Davidson for interment on Monday evening.

### ALCOCK—The death occurred Friday at the residence, "Koreen House," Eaton Avenue, Strawberry Vale, of Muriel, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Alcock. The funeral will take place privately from

## VOTERS' LISTS ARE OPEN AT CITY HALL

### Registrants Must Pay Road Tax and Licensees Must Pay Fees as Well—Registered Property Owners Listed

The city voters' lists were opened yesterday for registration at the office of City Clerk E. W. Bradley. Registration will continue until October 31 for the December municipal elections. Several applicants signed yesterday.

Those eligible to register are British subjects, male or female, of twenty-one years of age, who have been residents of Victoria since last January, and who have paid the necessary taxes.

Property owners will have their names put on this year's list automatically so long as their property has been registered in their name.

All others must pay the road tax, amounting to two dollars, to be able to obtain registration. In the case of licence holders, the licence fees as well as road tax must be paid.

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(Adv.)

## How School Lunches MAY BE MADE TO PAY

Mrs. Allenby, Head of Home Economics Branch of Seattle Schools, Explains How Enterprise May Break Even

How to establish school lunchrooms which shall be self-supporting, is a problem which not every city has solved. But Mrs. Ellen H. Dabney, director and organizer of home economics in the public schools of Seattle, and who made a tour of the Victoria domestic science centres during the past week, has achieved this, and reports that the system is "breaking even," an ideal state in view of the understanding that the school board must not either make or lose by the investment.

"What is the investment?" she was asked. Mrs. Dabney quoted the few simple articles which constitute the "equipment" in the school kitchen, afterwards relating how the required help is furnished by school girls, who do the washing up and waiting behind the counter in return for their own lunches. The number of applicants for the positions is always larger than the number of vacancies.

Mrs. Dabney has been connected with the home economics branch of the Seattle schools for the last fourteen years, and today has no less than 85 teachers and 7,000 girls under her direction. Before leaving Victoria she extended a cordial invitation to the six Victoria teachers of household science to visit her in

## Penitentiary Guards Suspended

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## City and District in Brief

**Roof Fire**—A roof fire at 1033 Pandora Avenue gave the fire department a run yesterday morning.

**Ross Bay Hall**—A short Gospel service is to be held at the Ross Bay Hall, corner Joseph and May Streets, tonight at 7 o'clock.

**Friendly Help**—The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held on Tuesday morning, at 10:30, in upstairs rooms, Market Building.

**Roskell Lecture**—The subject of the lecture tonight is "Concentration Made Easy, or Easy Steps in Mind Control." This will be delivered at Fellowship Hall, 517 Pemberton Building, at 8 p.m.

**Victoria Lodge, I.O.O.F.**—At its last meeting this lodge admitted two new members by initiation, and at its next meeting on Monday evening it will again confer the initiatory degree on a candidate, when the attendance of members is earnestly requested.

**Arion Club Concert**—The Arion Club will give a concert in the Empress ballroom Wednesday, October 12 at 8:30 p.m., in aid of the building fund of the Y.W.C.A. Tickets may be obtained at the Y.W.C.A., 745 Yates Street.

**Hears Sad News**—Mr. Edward Huestis, of the United States Immigration Office here, received the sad news yesterday of the death at Olympia, of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ruth Huestis, his only surviving relative. Mr. Huestis left on the afternoon boat for Seattle, en route to Olympia.

**Young People's Forum**—The Metropolitan Young People's Forum will meet tomorrow at 8 p.m. Mr. A. H. Maynard will give his beautifully illustrated lecture on "The Old Cariboo Trail." All wishing to spend a pleasant and profitable evening are cordially invited to attend.

**Annual Police Ball**—Arrangements are now under way for the annual ball of the Victoria Police Department, a meeting of members of the department being held on Friday to take preliminary steps. As yet the date of the function has not been decided upon.

**S.P.C.A. Prosecutes**—An F. J. A. Chinese pedlar, was summoned in the Oak Bay Police Court yesterday morning for using a horse which had a sore back, and which Tropic Lane, Inspector Maurice, of the S.P.C.A., gave evidence for the prosecution. The accused was fined \$20 and \$2.50 costs by Magistrate Jay.

**City Police Court**—May Allen, John Clancy and Tom Comma were each fined \$50 yesterday morning by Magistrate Jay for being found intoxicated. Robert "Home" Portraiture, on which Mrs. R. M. Weller will speak. The subject for portfolio will be a nature study.

**Parish Scouts**—The Parents' committee of the Parish Scouts, Mr. Peck will meet on Monday evening, October 3, at 7:30 p.m. in the headquarters, Courtney Street. It is expected to draw up a schedule for the Winter activities. All interested persons are especially requested to come and help things along.

**Stamp Revenue**—The sale of stamps at the exhibition of the September amounted to about \$17,000, approximately \$600 more than for the same month last year. The revenue from postal and money orders was practically the same as for September, 1920. The exchange situation has kept the American business down.

**Amalgamation Committee**—A meeting of the permanent amalgamation committee representing the ex-servicemen's associations in Victoria, will be held in the rooms of the Veterans of France, tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock. Important business will be taken place at this meeting, and all delegates are requested to attend.

**Officers Chosen**—Officers for the ensuing year were elected by the Saanich Central Parent-Teachers' Association on Thursday night, Rev. H. V. Hitchcock was again chosen as president, and the other officers are as follows: First vice-president, Mr. Stubbs; second vice-president, Mr. Jeans; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. M. Lorimer.

**First Congregational Church**—Today will be Rally Day in the First Congregational Church, when a concerted effort to get together for Fall and Winter work will be made. There will be special speakers at the service.

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**Two U.S. Seamen Killed**  
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**St. Mary's Boy Scouts**—A concert will be held at the St. Mary's parish hall, Oak Bay, on Thursday at 8:15 p.m., in aid of the St. Mary's Boy Scouts and Cuba. A very attractive entertainment has been prepared and it is hoped that the concert will be well patronized. The proceeds will be devoted to equipping the Scouts' hall on Chaper Street, which is in urgent need of repairs to make it habitable during the winter months.

**Putting Back the Clock**—The speaker at the First Unitarian Church, Fernwood Road, this morning at 11 o'clock will be Alexander H. Thompson, of London, well known throughout the British Isles. The subject of his address will be, "Putting Back the Clock." He has just completed a lecture tour throughout the country for the Dominion Chautauque, its success being so great that a similar one has been arranged for next year.

**Hampshire Road Church**—A parcel post social will be held on Tuesday at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. T. F. R. Oliver, 2177 Oak Bay Avenue, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Hampshire Road Methodist Church. Parlor games will be played, and a fine musical programme will be given by the following: Misses of the Hampshire Road Methodist Church, Misses: Miss E. Hole, Miss Armstrong, Miss George, Miss Jones. Refreshments will be served during the evening. All members of the church and their friends are invited to attend.

**Saanich Exhibition**—There are more than the usual number of stock entries for the fifty-third annual exhibition of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society, which will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, according to the secretary, Mr. Colin A. Chisholm. The entries are practically the same as for September, 1920. The exchange situation has kept the American business down.

**Hurt in Motor Collision**—In a collision between motor cars driven by Mr. Alexander Kersey, of Kirkwood, and Mr. G. E. Neal, of North Saanich, yesterday at 11:30 a.m. at the corner of Quadra and North Park streets, Wallace Heal, of 2801 Richmond Avenue, sustained a compound fracture of the right leg. The car in which he was riding was completely overturned and he was pinned beneath it. In the police motor ambulance the injured youth was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where he was attended by Dr. George Hall.

**Silver Tea for Sailors**—The Connaught Seamen's Institute will be the scene of a silver tea and shower for which the Seamen's keepers and their families, which will be held on Thursday next, from 3:30 to 6 o'clock. A fine musical programme has been arranged, and it is hoped that friends of the sailors will turn out in large numbers. For the convenience of those who cannot bring gifts, donations may be left at Dean & Hiscock's Drug Store, Broad and Yates streets. The regular monthly meeting of the institute will be held at 2:30 on the same day.

**Addressed Meeting Here**—Mrs. Henry Pillar, Provincial President of the W.M.A., was on from Vancouver on Thursday, and addressed a meeting in the First Presbyterian Sunday School Hall, Auxiliary of Victoria, and vicinity were represented in the gathering. Mrs. Pillar gave valuable suggestions along the lines of increasing membership, adding to the finances, and her ideas of how a regular meeting of an auxiliary should be conducted. A social hour at the close gave members an opportunity of meeting Mrs. Pillar, and of asking questions regarding the work which she is so able to answer.

**Dr. Munro's Address**—Last night the meeting capacity of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria, West, was taxed to its utmost limit. Dr. Munro delivered a powerful address, clear, comprehensive and convincing. Numerous requests have been made for an extension of time and the continuation of the conference, but owing to a return engagement in Vancouver, which began on Wednesday next, Dr. Munro cannot entertain these requests just now, but will close the conference today, speaking at 11 a.m. on "The Nature, Purpose and Objective of Faith," and at 7:30 p.m. on "The Jews, the Only Race With a Great Destiny."

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Lecture, subject "Constellations and Planets, Their Hidden Forces," Fellowship Hall, 217 Pemberton Building, Tuesday, 8 p.m.

Room and Board. Two vacancies at the Victoria Ladies' Club; also a large hall suitable for meetings to rent. Apply on premises.

St. John's Ladies' Guild will hold a concert and social in the school room, Mason Street, Tuesday, Oct. 4, 8 p.m.

On and after Saturday, October 1, Dorothy Tea Rooms will be open from 2 to 11 p.m. for supper and light refreshments after Theatre.

Hear Miss Maria Matheson, Scottish contralto, in the California Hall, Friday, the 7th, and all Scottish programmes, including piping and dancing.

Queen Alexandra Review, No. 11, opening dance, Thursday, October 6, K. of P. Hall, 9 to 11:30. Admission 50c. Also cards, military 50c, admission 25c. Good prizes, refreshments.

Women's Canadian Club—Annual meeting, election of officers, Empress Hotel, Wednesday, October 6, 2:30 p.m. Musical programme, Miss Mamie Fraser, Miss Middleton, Miss Broley.

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Sight-Seeing Cars will leave from the corner of Fort and Government Streets for Colwood golf links at 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Fare, round trip, \$1.00. For the memorial services, Shelbourne Street at 2:30. Fare, 50c.

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## THE WEATHER

Metropolitan Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m. October 1, 1921.

SYNOPSIS  
The barometer remains high over this Province, and the weather is generally from the Coast to Maritime, with frosts from Central B.C.

TEMPERATURE

Victoria 41 50  
Kamloops 41 50  
Barkerville 41 50  
Prince Rupert 41 50  
Atlin 41 50  
Duncan 41 50  
Caledonia 41 50  
Winnipeg 41 50  
Portland, Ore. 41 50  
San Francisco, Cal. 41 50  
Seattle, Wash. 41 50  
Grand Forks 41 50  
Wetmore 41 50  
Keno 41 50  
Oroville 41 50

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Lowest 41  
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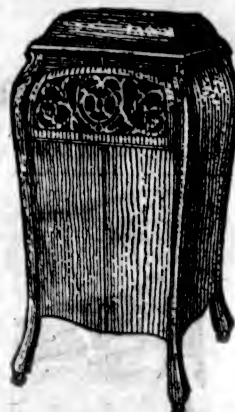
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 Size 72 x 90, each, \$8.95, \$10.00 and ..... \$10.95  
 Size 72 x 108, each, ..... \$12.50

**Pure Linen Double Damask Cloths**

Size 72 x 72, each, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and ..... \$12.75  
 Size 72 x 90, each, \$12.50, \$15.00 and ..... \$16.00  
 Size 72 x 108, each, \$15.00 and ..... \$17.50

**Napkins to match—**

Size 22 inch, per dozen, \$8.50 to ..... \$13.95  
 Size 24 inch, per dozen, \$10.00 to ..... \$16.50  
 Size 25 inch, per dozen, ..... \$17.50

**Hemstitched Linen Damask Cloths**

Size 36 x 36, each ..... \$2.95  
 Size 45 x 45, each ..... \$4.75  
 Size 54 x 54, each ..... \$6.50  
 Size 72 x 72, each ..... \$11.50  
 Napkins to match—  
 Size 15 x 15, per dozen ..... \$9.50

**Scalloped Linen Cloths**

Size 72 x 72, each ..... \$10.00  
 Size 81 x 81, each ..... \$13.50  
 Napkins to match—  
 Size 15 x 15, per dozen ..... \$8.95

**Hand Woven Linen Damask Sets**

72 x 72 cloth and one dozen 22-inch napkins. Per set, complete ..... \$45.00  
 72 x 90 cloth and one dozen 22-inch napkins. Per set, complete, from ..... \$34.00 to ..... \$61.00  
 72 x 108 cloth and one dozen 22-inch napkins. Per set, complete, from ..... \$59.00 to ..... \$67.00  
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Sarouk Rugs are made with the one object of producing a rug which will resemble the finest Persian rugs possible to get. The pile is very long and heavy and closely woven, just as it is in the real Oriental rugs.

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 —3rd Floor

**Made-in-Canada Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs**

Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs are now made in Canada by Canadian workmen. They are printed under the most modern conditions, the machines used being the most perfect on the American continent. Every rug is guaranteed by us to give absolute satisfaction and we can thoroughly recommend them.

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Size 6 x 9, each ..... \$11.75  
 Size 7.6 x 9, each ..... \$14.25  
 Size 9 x 9, each ..... \$16.75  
 Size 9 x 10.6, each ..... \$19.50  
 Size 9 x 12, each ..... \$22.50  
 —3rd Floor

**English and French Hand-Blocked Cretonnes at \$1.50 and \$1.85 a Yard**There is no other fabric to be compared with these Hand-Blocked Cretonnes for decorative work. You can get such extreme color creations, and yet, if you want something quiet and rich, just like a piece of velvet, you can get it. They are printed on the finest of linens, and come in a very choice selection of new patterns. Price per yard, at \$1.50 and ..... \$1.85  
 —3rd Floor**English Pudding Bowls**

Mixing Bowls and Deep Pie Dishes, in a full assortment of sizes, just received.

Pudding Bowls are priced from, each, 20c to ..... 65c  
 Mixing Bowls are priced from, each, 25c to ..... 65c

Deep Pie Dishes priced from, each, 25c to ..... \$1.25

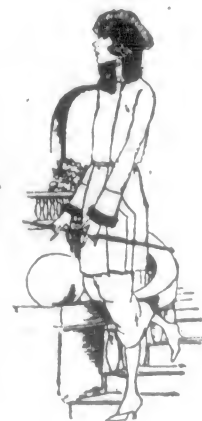
**100 Dozen White Kermis Shaped Cups and Saucers**Made by one of the best English potters. In a nice light weight, but durable, and are good enough for everyday use, and oftentimes effect a saving in breakage of more expensive lines. Price, six cups and saucers for ..... \$1.98  
 —Lower Main Floor**PURITY GROCERIES**

Daw-Sen & Co.'s Sweet Lucknow Chutneys, Mango Hot Chutneys, Mango Sliced Chutneys and Major Grey's Chutneys—  
 30-oz. bottle ..... \$1.10  
 18-oz. bottle ..... 60c  
 7-oz. bottle ..... 35c  
 Mrs. Porter's 1000 Island Dressing, a Tartar sauce; 7½ oz. bottle ..... 55c  
 Mrs. Porter's Salad Dressing, 8 oz. bottle ..... 35c  
 Ipa Brand Genuine French Sardines, in oil, per tin ..... 50c  
 Blue Point Brand Oysters, large tin ..... 65c  
 Blue Point Brand Oysters, small tin ..... 35c  
 Canadian Caviar, glass jar ..... 75c  
 Blue Grass Belle Apple Cider Vinegar, 64 oz. jar ..... 75c  
 Blue Grass Belle Apple Cider Vinegar, 128 oz. jar ..... \$1.45  
 Map of Italy Olive Oil, per pint ..... \$1.00  
 Map of Italy Olive Oil, per quart ..... \$1.90  
 Curtis Quality Hearts of Baby Artichokes, 15 oz. tin ..... 70c  
 Apricot, the Sweet Oil of Persica, per bottle, 25c, 50c and ..... \$1.00  
 Tea Garden Spiced Figs, fancy figs in heavy syrup, per bottle ..... 95c  
 Hudson's Bay Seal of Quality Blue Label Tea, per lb. ..... 80c  
 Hudson's Bay Seal of Quality Coffee, in airtight tins, per lb. ..... 65c  
 Pretzels, per lb. ..... 45c  
 Christie's Cracknels, per lb. ..... 75c  
 Perrin's High-Class Fancy Biscuits, tin, 65c  
 —Lower Main Floor

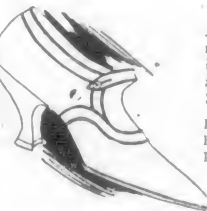
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**Novelty and Tailored Suits at \$45.00 and \$49.50**

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 —2nd Floor**Fall Coats Specially Priced at \$32.50 Each**In velour cloth, in colors of navy, black, grey, taupe, green, Pekin and tan. These models are made from the latest styles, with long roll and convertible collars, loose back and belted, deep set-in sleeves, patch pockets, trimmed with buttons, half lined; sizes 16 to 42. Price, each ..... \$32.50  
 —2nd Floor**Smart Raincoats for the Wet Weather**

Made of rainproof tweeds and gaberdine, in all the new styles, with set-in and Raglan sleeves, belted models. Come in tan, grey, brown mixtures; rubber lined. Sizes 16 to 42. Price, each, from \$18.50 to ..... \$25.00

**"St. Margaret" Kilted Suits for Girls**Smart pleated skirt attached to jersey, turn-down collar and button front; bloomers finished with elastic at waist and knee. Come in shades of brown, navy and white. Price, according to size, from \$6.75 to ..... \$8.25  
 —2nd Floor**Silk Covered Umbrellas**English Umbrellas with Fox paragon frames, in colors of navy, green, purple, black, with crook and straight handles of ash and partridge wood. Some are silver tipped. All strongly made and of good appearance. Price, each, at \$12.50, \$15.00 up to ..... \$21.00  
 —Main Floor**Heavy Quality Habutai Silk Underskirts at \$6.95 Each**Smart accordion pleated flounce, trimmed with inserts of striped silk. Come in shades of purple, Pekin, cerise, paddy and navy. Price, each ..... \$6.95  
 —2nd Floor**The "Miller" Strap Pump for Ladies of Discrimination**

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 In Black Kid, per pair ..... \$18.50    In Black Suede, per pair ..... \$18.50  
 In Black Satin, per pair ..... \$16.50    In Brown Suede, per pair ..... \$18.50

These shoes, made by I. Miller & Sons, of New York, are the famous "Footprints of Fashion."  
 —Main Floor**Art Needlework Classes Commencing Monday October 3**Free instruction will be given in Needlework, Knitting and Crocheting, and lessons, with materials purchased in our Art Needlework Section, each afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.  
 —Mezzanine Floor**New Ribbons**

Brocaded Dresden Ribbon in a nice scroll effect; 8½ inches wide. Price per yard ..... \$2.50

Rich Brocaded Ribbons in choice designs and colorings, 9½ inches wide; suitable for sashes, handbags, boudoir caps, dress trimmings, etc. Price per yard ..... \$4.50  
 —Main Floor**Leishman's Made-to-Measure Clothes for Men**The man who finds it difficult to obtain a correct fit will welcome our Special Order Department. We are showing an exclusive range of cloths—tweeds and worsteds of excellent quality and other out-of-the-ordinary fabrics—from which you can choose your favorite shade. Call in at this department and look over our range of samples. We will take your measurements and will guarantee a perfect fit.  
 —Main Floor**Leishman's Hand Tailored Suits**We have just opened up a very fine selection of Worsted and Tweed Suits. They come in the most recent Fall models, are cleverly designed and expertly tailored; all sizes. Price, per suit, at \$35.00, \$37.50 and ..... \$65.00  
 —Main Floor**Tweed Hats and Caps For Smartly Dressed Men**

English Tweed Hats at \$4.00 Each

Made by Glynn &amp; Co., 44 Old Bond Street; Donegal's Tweed Hats with style and shape retaining qualities. All silk lined and stitched. Come in all sizes. Price, each ..... \$4.00

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 —Main Floor**These Offerings in Blouses Are Specially Good**

Good Quality Silk Jersey Blouses at \$9.75 Each

Come in flesh and white; made with convertible collar and fastens with two large pearl buttons; long sleeves with buttoned cuffs. Sizes 34 to 40. Price, each ..... \$9.75

White Pique Blouses at \$2.50 Each

With convertible collar and long sleeves with buttoned cuffs. Price, each ..... \$2.50

White Dimity Blouses at \$2.50 Each

With sailor collar and long sleeves. Price, each ..... \$2.50

White Gaberdine Blouses at \$2.95 Each

With convertible collar, patch pocket and long sleeves. Price, each ..... \$2.95  
 —2nd Floor**Women's Pure Silk Hose At \$7.50 a Pair**

With openwork lace fronts. Come in black only. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair ..... \$7.50

Women's Silk and Cotton Mixture Plaid and Black and White Check with reinforced heels and toes. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair ..... \$4.50  
 —Main Floor**Our Tobacco Department**

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## SERVICE CELEBRATES DIAMOND JUBILEE

Harvest Thanksgiving at St. John's Church Today Will Commemorate Sixtieth Anniversary of Old Parish

A special interest attaches to the annual Harvest Thanksgiving Service which are to be held in St. John's Church today, as it is the diamond jubilee year of the parish. The rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, will be assisted in the Thanksgiving services by the Ven. Archdeacon Bywater, the rector of St. John's Church, Seattle. The church has been tastefully decorated with grain, fruit and flowers for the occasion, and appropriate music will be rendered by the choir, including Jackson's Te Deum, Garret's Benedicite, Kyrie, by Mendelssohn, and Stainer's anthem, "Ye Shall Dwell in the Land."

At the evening service, which will commence at 7 o'clock, the music will consist of the Harvest Thanksgiving hymns and special psalms, Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, by Christopher Marks, and the anthem "Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem," by J. F. Maunier. St. John's Church, which is one of the oldest parishes in British Columbia, has had very remarkable success in the last few years, the entire mortgage debt having been completely paid off and the organ debt reduced from \$8,000 to \$4,000 in the last two years. The thanksgiving for the organ fund, and the church authorities expect that a large sum will be realized for this purpose.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. D. Macdonald, of Vancouver, was a visitor in the city on Friday.

Mrs. J. H. Ross, of Vancouver, is visiting in this city for a few days.

Among Vancouver visitors to the Capital is Miss A. Mackenzie.

Mr. R. Baker, is spending a few days in Victoria from Vancouver.

Brigadier-General J. M. Ross is spending a few days in Vancouver.

Mr. Robert Willmot has arrived from Vancouver on a business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Des Brimay, of Vancouver, are spending their honeymoon in this city and Seattle.

Mrs. Norman Payne, of Victoria, has left on a visit to Walla Walla, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Corning, of Rockland Avenue, entertained last evening, card games being enjoyed by the guests.

Another bridge hostess of the week was Mrs. Alexis Martin, Foul Bay Road, who had a few tables of the popular game on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shenka, of Langford Lake, left on Wednesday for a four months' visit to Mr. Shenka's parents in the East.

Mrs. N. Nuttman, of Victoria, has returned to her home in this city, after visiting in Vancouver with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walbank.

Mrs. Oswald Parker, of Victoria, left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver, where she will spend the coming week visiting with relatives.

Mr. T. Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood, 1025 Pendergast Street, has returned to Guelph Agricultural College to resume his duties.

Mrs. Murdoch, 1115 Fort Street, has arrived home from Europe, where she has been selecting antiques and curios.

Miss Jones, of Victoria, who is visiting in Vancouver, attended a tea given on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Mayne D. Hamilton in honor of Mrs. Duncan Bell-Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rowley and Mr. and Mrs. Hargrave, of Victoria, returned home recently from a fortnight's vacation spent in the Okanagan.

Mr. Stuart Cameron left Victoria on Friday for his home in Vancouver.

Mr. A. C. Burdick, of Victoria, is spending a few days in the Terminal City.

Dr. and Mrs. Colin Graham, of Vancouver, who have been motoring on Vancouver Island, returned a few days in this city, have returned to the Mainland.

Mrs. W. E. Oliver, of Victoria, is visiting in Vancouver, and is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ward, of Shaughnessy Hotel.

Mr. Jack Nichol, of Vancouver, is visiting his father, the Lieutenant-Governor, who entertained last night at Government House with a small dinner party, followed by a dance.

Mrs. Chatter Payne was the hostess yesterday afternoon at a most delightful bridge tea. There were four tables of players, a number of other guests arriving later.

Mrs. O. W. Appleborn, of this city, left last Friday for Vancouver, where she will visit until next Wednesday. During her stay in that city she will stop at the Hotel Vancouver.

Hon. Mr. Justice Aulay Morrison, of Shaughnessy Heights, who has been spending the past five weeks in Ottawa, is expected in Vancouver today.

Dr. and Mrs. Otis Floyd Lamson, of Seattle, are receiving congratulations from their many friends in Victoria and Seattle on the birth of a daughter at the Swedish Hospital, Seattle, on Thursday, September 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Calven Jones, who have been motoring up the Island, left yesterday on the Seattle boat for their home in San Diego. They intend motoring home via the Lincoln Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ehlert, of Buenos Ayres, arrived in yesterday and are guests at the Empress Hotel. Mr. Ehlert is a grain exporter and the distributor for the Nash motor car in the Argentine.

Dr. J. A. Stewart, who recently went East to Kingston, Ontario, on account of his mother's serious illness, will return home today. No report has been received here as to his mother's condition.

Among the hour guests at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon were Dr. and Mrs. Harold Eberts, Mr. and Mrs. Mullander, Mr. Ridgway-Wilson, Captain and Mrs. Troup and many others.

Mrs. P. A. E. Irving entertained yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel, when her guests included Mrs. F. B. Kito, Mrs. Innes, Mrs. Kuyler, Mrs. Major, and Mrs. Cuthbert Holmes, Miss Kito, Miss Innes and Mr. G. Kito.

Mrs. V. S. Macdonald is leaving today for the Mainland, where she will represent the Department of Agriculture at the convention of Women's Institutes of the Lower Mainland, which will meet at Chilliwack next week.

A marriage of considerable interest to the many friends of the principals took place very quietly at Duncan on September 27, when the Rev. F. G. Christmas solemnized the nuptials of Dr. C. Denton Holmes, of Victoria, and Mrs. Margery Isabel Farrer, of Cowichan Lake. V.I. Dr. and Mrs. Holmes will make their home in Victoria.

A very delightful five hundred party was held last night at the home of Mrs. Burrell, Beverley Place, under the auspices of the Marguerite Chapter, I. O. D. E. Seven tables were in play during the evening, the various conveners being the regent, Mrs. B. H. King, Miss K. Collins, Miss D. Norris, Miss K. Clay, Miss M. Campbell and Miss F. Bennett.

The Knox Church Young People's Society held a Friday evening party, a surprise party to Mrs. W. A. Jamieson, who has just returned from an extended visit in Toronto. During the evening, which was spent in a social way, the vice-president on behalf of the society, heartily welcomed Mrs. Jamieson home. A delicious buffet supper brought the happy evening to a close.

Among those who attended the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon at the tea hour were Mrs. E. S. Hissell, Regent of the Lady Alderson Chapter, L.O.D.E., who convened the tag day yesterday, to commemorate the sailing of the First Contingent C.E.P. from Gaspé Bay, and also Mrs. Curtis Simpson, and Mrs. David Miller. During the afternoon Professor Lou Turner rendered several patriotic airs in honor of the occasion.

Amongst the passengers who arrived here yesterday on the S.S. Makura was Miss Mabel Bellmaine, of Melbourne, Australia, who is on an extended visit to Mrs. Wood, of Calcutta Avenue. It is well known that many friends of Mrs. Bellmaine, formerly of this city, and now of Camberwell, near Melbourne, Australia, to know that Mrs. Bellmaine and her husband, who is Mayor of Camberwell, were the guests of honor at a large function recently held in Melbourne. Mrs. Bellmaine is a sister of Mrs. T. B. Woods, and she and her husband expect to return on a visit to this city next Spring.

A very pleasant surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Nixon, Jr., 2613 Graham Street, on Thursday evening, in honor of Mrs. J. Nixon. The evening was spent in music, etc., after which a dainty little supper was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. B. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wormsley, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nixon, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Barber, Mrs. L. Fletcher, Misses Violet and Lillian Parrott, May Lewis, Ellen Nixon, Messrs. Harry Lewis, G. H. E. Green, Cecil Lewis, and others.

A very enjoyable surprise party was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. G. J. Gates, Ontario Street, the occasion being the anniversary of the birthday of her daughter, Miss Phyllis Gates. The guests included Miss Margaret Kermode, Miss Kathleen Welburn, Miss Audrey Griffin, Miss Muriel Daniels, Miss F. Gates, and Messrs. Merrill, Irving, Rlyth, W. Huxtable, Reginald Wood, Humphrey Connell, Gordon Kermode, Mrs. Kermode, Mr. and Mrs. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davies and Mrs. J. Gates. The evening was spent in music and games, the winner of the guessing contests being Miss Kathleen Welburn, after which refreshments were served.

A surprise party was given Mr. Campbell Pettitew last Friday evening by many of his friends at his home, 776 Market Street. A most enjoyable evening was spent in dancing, cards and games, and at a late hour a dainty buffet supper was served. Among those present were: Miss Norma Toy, Miss Winnie Dunn, Miss Violet Fowler, Miss Webster, Miss Mary Laird, Miss Gladys Pettitew, Mrs. Doreen Pettitew, Mrs. W. McAllister, Mrs. Alice Gordon, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. McKay, Mr. Frank Gregory, Mr. Jack Harkness, Mr. Richard Fowler, Mr. William McAllister, Mr. William McAllister, Jr., Mr. George Anderson, Mr. Dudley Green, Mr. Joseph Brinton and Mr. Stephen Cheeseman.

### NANAIMO

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. R. Mitchell arrived home last night on their return from the honeymoon, which they spent in the lower Island district.

A very pleasant surprise party was given last evening at the home of Mrs. P. Flynn, Milton Street, in honor of the thirtieth birthday of her daughter Margaret. A host of friends gathered for the occasion and spent a delightful evening with games and music. Dainty refreshments were served, everyone having a very enjoyable time.

A large number of players attended at the Old Fellows' military winter drive held last night, there being 84 players present, the prizes being awarded to the following successful fencers: First, Fort No. 8, Mrs. Rothery, Mrs. Rodgers, Mr. E. Wilson and Mr. M. Oettle; second, Fort No. 17, Mrs. Parkin, Mrs. Dobinson, Mr. W. Bailey and Mr. W. Adams; third, Fort No. 18, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Seattle, Mrs. Addison, Mr. Haslam, and Mrs. Adams.

Miss Dorothy Trafford, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Trafford, of Stewart Avenue, was tendered a surprise party yesterday afternoon on the occasion of her twelfth birthday. Dorothy made a charming little hostess, and her young friends enjoyed themselves thoroughly with games and music, and all the good things that go to make a children's party what it should be. At 9 o'clock the party dispersed for their respective homes after wishing Dorothy very many happy returns of the day.

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Electric Seal Coat; large shawl collar and cuffs of Alaska sable (skunk); figured satin lined. Extra good value  
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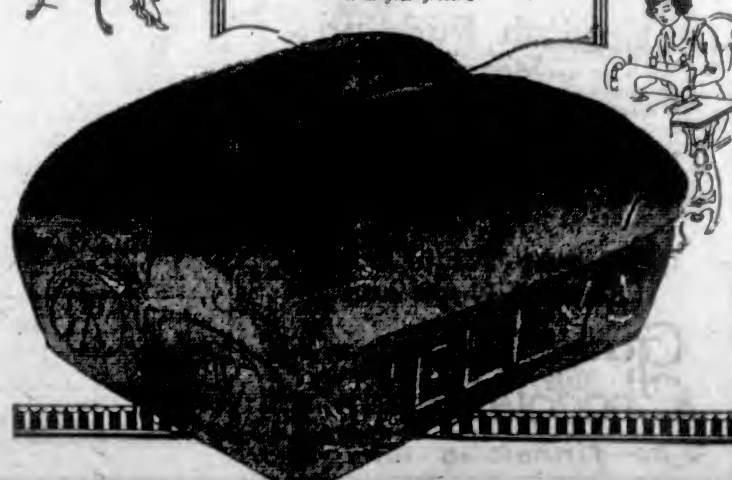
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## MR. MCCONNELL'S LECTURE

It is not generally known that in the person of Rev. T. A. McConnell, pastor of St. Columba, Presbyterian Church, Oak Bay, Victoria, harbors an honored resident one of the foremost figures in Y.M.C.A. work during the recent war.

Mr. McConnell left his pastorate in Ireland in June, 1917, to assume charge of the Y.M.C.A. hut at Faveuville, France. One month later he was appointed corps leader, in charge of all Y.M.C.A. work in the Fourth and Sixth Army Corps of the Third Army, commanded by the present Lord Byng of Vimy, now Governor General of Canada. Mr. McConnell, whose headquarters were at Bapaume, had charge of 24 huts. The Bapaume headquarters was terribly destroyed in the retreat of the Germans in the

Spring of 1917. Mr. McConnell was afterward specially chosen to have charge of all Y.M.C.A. work amongst Irish troops in France, and participated in the memorable retreat of March and April, 1918, when the Fifth Army suffered so terribly, and when every Y.M.C.A. hut in the Third and Fourth Armies was either destroyed or captured by the enemy.

Mr. McConnell is, therefore, well qualified to speak of "The Experience of a Y.M. Bloke in France," which is the title he gives to his forthcoming lecture Tuesday evening, October 4, at St. Columba Church, Mitchell and Granite Streets, Oak Bay. He possesses a forceful and magnetic personality, and is an eloquent speaker. The lecture will be vividly illustrated by lantern slides, and an appropriate musical programme will be furnished.

**British Revenue Decreases**—LONDON, Oct. 1.—United Kingdom revenue returns for the three months ended September 30 totalled approximately £252,000,000 as against £304,000,000 for the corresponding period last year. The revenue for the six months ended September was £456,000,000, compared with £519,000,000 for the corresponding period of last year.



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## ORIGIN OF SCOTTISH EVOKES DISCUSSION

Edinburgh Meeting of British Association Told That Caledonia, Stern and Wild, Has Scandinavian Blood Ties

Addressing the Anthropological and Geographical sections of the British Association at the recent annual meeting of the famous scientific organization at Edinburgh, Sir Arthur Keith advanced the opinion that the Picts, Celts and Saxons of Scotland were all of one original breed, the descendants of a pioneer race which settled Northwestern Europe at the end of the last ice age. The discussion took a wide range, and elicited some interesting opinions.

The opener was Professor Sir Arthur Keith, who submitted that the inhabitants of the Highlands and western parts of Scotland and the inhabitants of the inland parts of Scandinavia were branches of the same Nordic racial stock. Scandinavian geologists estimated the beginning of the emergence of Scandinavia and of Scotland from ice at a period of about 11,000 B. C. The North Sea was then an estuary, or bay, open to the North, with a western shore leading up to Scotland, and an eastern leading to Scandinavia. On the Danish, as also on Scottish coasts, were found the shell heaps of the Harpoon Folk, the earliest inhabitants in the Northwest, outside of Europe in Post-Glacial times. The culture of this people was to be traced to countries in the Southwest of Europe, and although their remains had not been found, it might safely be inferred that they arose from the long and big-headed type of man found in South England and on the continent at the close of the Ice Age.

It was thus maintained that Scot and Scandinavian were descendants of the late palaeolithic men of Southwest Europe. The accepted opinion that the late palaeolithic races of South Europe had dark hair, eyes and complexions was probably well founded. Fair hair, light eyes and clear complexions, which find their fullest expression in the inhabitants of Baltic lands, were best regarded as characteristics recently evolved. The darker hair and eyes of the modern Scot might not be due to a later Mediterranean admixture, but to his retaining to a greater degree the complexion of his palaeolithic ancestor.

**The Round Heads**—Sir Arthur Keith proceeded to trace the appearance in Scotland in the second millennium B. C. of a peculiar and round-headed people, and added that after this period there was no great invasion until the arrival of the Romans in the fifth century, when the Romans had gone, both eastern and western doorways became open again. The Dalriad Scots, the North of Ireland then entered the country, but brought no new physical type, as they had every right to presume that Ireland was originally peopled by the same race as settled in Scotland.

In conclusion, he said that the Picts, Celts and Saxons of Scotland were all of one breed, the descendants of the pioneer race which settled Northwest Europe when the last ice sheet lifted. There had been only one intrusive element, the round-headed late neolithic introduction.

Professor Thomas H. Bryce said that Scotland was inhabited as far back as Azilian times. He, too, contended that there was a strong preponderance that the primitive basis of the population was Nordic in character.

Dr. J. T. Tocher said that during the war he had measured about 4,000 Scotsmen, who were joining the army, and he found that the average height was 5 feet 7 1/2 inches, but that there was a very wide variation ranging from 4 feet 7 inches to 6 feet 7 inches. He had also discovered in making other examinations that there was a broad head among the population in the Northeast of Scotland and a long head in the Southwest. The conception that only Aberdonians had big heads was wholly wrong, but it was a fact that many red-haired people belonged to that part of the country. There was no clear proof that the people of the early period were smaller than those of the present day, and he expressed the view that to obtain a clear indication of the origin of the Scottish people they would require to rely more on the historian, the geographer, and the psychologist, than on the anthropologist.

## ILLUSTRATED TALK ABOUT WEST INDIES

Bible Society Secretary Will Give Lecture in Cathedral School-room on Monday Night

A travel talk, illustrated by ninety-five colored lantern slides, describing an imaginary tour through the West Indies and Central America, will be conducted by Dr. J. Knox Wright in Christ Church Cathedral school-room tomorrow night at eight o'clock.

Dr. Wright is the district secretary for the Canadian Bible Society, and his illustrated lecture will introduce to those who attend it the tropical scenes and strange peoples of Central American lands and islands, with their ancient temples and old cities.

The lecture is free and open to all who wish to hear and see it. The work of the Bible Society has an appeal for Christians of all denominations, and a collection in aid of its funds will be made at the close of the lecture.

The Dean of Columbia, Very Rev. C. E. Quinlan, is announced to act as chairman for the meeting.

## BOYS' NAVAL BRIGADE

**Weekly Orders**  
Monday, Oct. 3, 4:30 p.m.—Ship's Office, band practice.  
Tuesday, Oct. 4, 7:30 p.m.—Ship's Office, both watches and navigation class.  
Thursday, Oct. 6, 7:30 p.m.—Ship's Office, both watches and navigation class.  
Friday, Oct. 7, 8:30 p.m.—Ship's Office, band practice.  
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## CHILDREN'S DAY IS HELD BY LUTHERANS

St. Paul's Lutheran Church to See Frolics of Children's Service for Parents and Members

This evening has a spiritual treat in store for the children of the Sunday School of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Princess Avenue and Chambers Street, as well as for the parents and friends of the congregation.

With Mrs. Louis Schmeiss at the organ, the prelude, "Sanctus" (Bortniansky) will be rendered at 7:30 sharp. Then will follow the Introit and Gloria Patri with a Scripture lesson and prayer. After a hymn by the congregation the children of the Sunday School, under the direction of Mrs. Norman Haas, will render a most interesting and inspiring missionary programme. Violin selections will be furnished by Miss Muriel Podger and Mr. Paul Schmeiss. The pastor, Rev. R. F. Kibler, will favor the audience with a vocal selection.

After a brief address by the pastor on Christ's words, "Compel them to come in," which is the theme of the entire programme, an offering will be taken for missions. The service will conclude with the Lord's Prayer and the New Testament benediction.

## GOES TO ENGLAND TO GET INFORMATION

Dr. C. Wace Granted Three Months' Leave by S.C.R. to Examine for Red Cross Schemes for Employment

Dr. C. Wace, of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, has been granted three months' leave by the Department at the request of the executive of the Canadian Red Cross Society. After attending a conference in Ottawa of the Red Cross Society and the Government Departments concerned, Dr. Wace sailed for England on the Metagama to examine and report on behalf of the Canadian Red Cross Society on the many schemes that are in operation in England for the care and employment of the disabled ex-service men.

On his return from England, Dr. Wace will present his report to the executive of the Canadian Red Cross Society, and it is confidently hoped that the society will co-operate with the Government in dealing with this great problem.

The Victoria Branch of the Red Cross had taken this matter in hand before anything was known of these negotiations. The original suggestions to this end were made to the society by Dr. Wace, and with the energy and character of the society, the local Red Cross affairs since the beginning of the war, the first Red Cross workshop in Canada was established on Fort Street last Spring, and has grown until twenty men, who could not, on account of disability, be employed elsewhere, are given regular work with splendid results.

This action had a very material effect on the negotiations with the Government. It has clearly demonstrated that in men with such curative and useful employment can be provided for seriously disabled men. Dr. Jas. W. Robertson, chairman of the Red Cross executive, visited the workshop recently, and what he saw along with the representations made by Dr. Wace did a good deal to speed up the negotiations.

The problem to be solved for the whole Dominion and all classes of disabled men is by no means a simple one, and the Department of the Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment in Ottawa is giving all possible assistance to the inquiry now being made on behalf of the Canadian Red Cross Society.

## PRAIRIE TOURISTS EXPECTED EARLY

Development Association Receives Intimation of Many Winter Visitors to Victoria—Anglo-Indians Interested

The Victoria and Island Development Association are now outlining their fall campaign, which will feature a more comprehensive scheme of advertising than ever before, providing that sufficient funds are forthcoming.

Visitors' comments and increasing correspondence demonstrate a progressive interest in Victoria and Vancouver Island, this being particularly noticeable from the number of inquiries made by the Anglo-Indians who are residing in the Orient. The Development Association intends to make a strong bid for this kind of settler, and for this purpose will distribute a large number of information pamphlets in the various cities of the Far East, where there are English populations. Advertisements will also be placed in representative English newspapers of the Eastern cities.

Visitors to the offices of the Development Association state that as far as the British residents of India are concerned they have a lively interest in Canada, and especially in British Columbia.

This advertising campaign will be conducted in a similar manner in the newspapers of Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Regina, Yorkton, Dauphin, Brandon, Moose Jaw and Winnipeg. It is expected that the Western movement from the Prairies to start this year much earlier than last. Owing to the drop in the wheat market these people did not begin to migrate until after Christmas, and then there were not half as many of them in Victoria as during the year previous. As so much better conditions prevail on the prairies this Autumn, preparations are being made for an earlier arrival here, the preliminary letters giving evidence that there will be much more than the usual influx.

It is possible that it will also be decided to curtail some advertising in Ontario papers in order to influence the better class of winter tourists, who are accustomed to spend the winter in Florida and Southern California, to come to Victoria instead. Through correspondence received Commissioner J. G. Thomson is led to believe that there is a good opportunity to attract a proportion of these tourists to this city.

Negotiations are now being conducted by the Development Association for the establishment of a proper ferry service between the British peninsula and Mill Bay. Proposals have been submitted to the association outlining a scheme for this purpose. Only private parties are interested, but the support of the association is solicited, and Commissioner Thomson is making inquiries regarding the proposition. Such a ferry service, it is generally considered, would be of the greatest advantage to tourists, and in many ways, a benefit to the British peninsula.

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## Two Exciting Games Open Soccer League

Metropolis and Victoria Wests Battle at Beacon Hill to Draw—Garrison Win the Initial Match Against Sons of England at Work Point—Good Crowds View the Games

VICTORIA WESTS, 1; METROPOLIS, 1.  
 GARRISON, 2; SONS OF ENGLAND, 1.

The Victoria and District Football League got off to a flying start yesterday afternoon, when well over a thousand soccer followers witnessed the two close and exciting games which took place. The match at Beacon Hill ended in a draw, both the West and Metropolis eleven obtaining one goal apiece. The second engagement was played at Work Point, Esquimalt, where the Garrison tribe succeeded in making the Sons of England taste defeat in a well-contested encounter.

The opening matches clearly showed that none of the teams have had sufficient practice. This circumstance did not dampen the enthusiasm, however, for the folks who crowded the side lines more than once entered into the games wholeheartedly, and were a source of inspiration to the respective teams.

**Met. vs. Wests**

The Beacon Hill fixture was a lively affair, and both the Met and Wests were kept hustling the whole time. The Victoria West eleven, however, had slightly the better of the afternoon's play, but were unable to leave the football grounds with anything better than a draw with their opponents. Jack Youen made no mistake when he said that his boys were a most formidable bunch.

The Metropolis team marched on the field with the City and Jackson cups in their possession, having won these trophies from the Wests last season. Their first game last year was against the Victoria Wests, which, as yesterday, resulted in a tie. The Met were handicapped somewhat by not having their regular crew in harness yesterday, and were forced to substitute a few youngsters.

The first half was the period when the Wests worked hard and did most of the offensive work, keeping the Met's goalies busy with a galaxy of shots at frequent intervals. The Wests executed some pretty rushes, but the Met's defence were on duty, and the full backs especially did valiant work, and saved not a few times what looked like certain scores. There was no scoring in this section, although several good attempts to that end were made.

The Metropolis boys did much better in the latter part of the game, when they made a wonderful comeback and surprised their opponents, who by this time had thought that victory was practically assured to them. Both teams throughout the game lost many excellent opportunities to score through poor shooting. Wale, the sturdy half-back on the Met's roster, was the star of the break forth into the scoring column, when a fast shot beat Shandley for their only tally.

**Wests Not to Be Outdone**

The boys in the Victoria West uniforms, however, were not to be outdone, and some pretty combination work resulted in Peden placing the ball between the Metropolis goalposts, after Leeming had tried valiantly to prevent the score. From then until the end of the game, a matter of ten minutes, both teams did their best, with the Met showing up better than in the first part of the match. Gordon Leeming played a stellar game in goal for the Wests, and made a number of wonderful saves. The Met missed the services of Hindle, their centre half, who was the mainstay of their eleven last year. The teams lined up as follows:

**Victoria Wests:** Shandley; Copan and Whyte; Baker, Muir and Thomas; Allan, Clarkson, Peden, Youen and Sherratt.

**Metropolis:** Leeming; Church and Taylor; Wale, Fetherston and Smith; Falrall, Merrifield, Southern, Cummings and Totty.

**At Work Point**

The Garrison-S.O.E. game was very exciting, and especially so when neither team was able to score in the first half. The soldiers' forward line showed up well throughout the game, and executed a number of pretty rushes, which resulted in several goals. They have a youthful team, which is full of energy, and easily outplayed their opponents yesterday. Gibson and Edwards scored for them in the second half, but Davis, of the S.O.E., made things more interesting when he obtained their solitary goal shortly before the game was concluded. The English-

men worked hard, but badly showed that they were not quite in condition, and needed more practice. Carmichael did good work for the S.O.E., making the Garrison eleven embarrassed more than once during the contest.

The teams were as follows: Garrison: Weir; W. Gibson and Allen; Mitchell, Edwards and Ward; Grimes, Spears, Cummings, W. T. Gibson and Watt.

Sons of England: Hetherington; Petch and Carmichael; Dwyer, Dorman and Harwood; Smith, Walters, Small, Davis and Winsby.

## WANDERERS GIVEN WORST BY SAILORS

Kick-Off of Season Lands Victory in Hands of Naval College Students and Disappoints Wanderers

Wanderers' Football Club lost its first game of the season to the Royal Naval College when the result of the kick-off was summed up at Oak Bay yesterday afternoon. The game was a traditional annual event in former years and aroused keen interest. The play was watched with lively interest by large numbers of spectators, and it was evident from the commencement that the sailors had the better of the play. The Wanderers put up one of their old-time fighting games, and it was by no means the easy walkover for the Naval College boys that the score would indicate. Wanderers are breaking in some new material which will develop with the later season and provide the backbone for a first-class combination of players. The score was eight to nothing in favor of the Naval College.

The line-up for the two teams was as follows: Wanderers—Fullback, H. A. Tomlin; three-quarters, E. S. Wall, E. E. N. McCullum, L. H. Wiltshire (Oak Bay High School); half-backs, H. G. L. Parker, H. L. S. McCulloch; forwards, J. B. Acland, E. Penderay, P. A. Herman, A. Kerr, H. L. S. Hope, W. B. Bredon (Oak Bay High School).

Naval College—Fullback, Cadet Adams; three-quarters, Cadet Merry, Lieut. Edwards, Cadet Mitchell and Cadet Roberts; half-backs, Lieut. Petch and Cadet Taylor; forwards, Mr. Kinch, Cadet Jackel, Curry, Brock, Dawson, MacDonald and Hope.

## ENGLAND SCORES SIX, AUSTRALIANS FIVE

Thirty Thousand Spectators Witness Rugby International Test Match at Leeds in Glorious Weather

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The first Northern Union Rugby test match was played at Leeds today, in glorious weather. Thirty thousand spectators were present, according to Reuters. England made a splendid start and twice in quick succession buzz down on the Australians' line at a tremendous pace and scored after a ten-minute try, one unconverted. Fine handling by the colonials resulted in them scoring a corner try, unconverted. At that time the Australians had five points and the English team three.

## OLD COUNTRY RUGBY

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Northern Union Rugby games played today resulted as follows: Barrow, 20; Keighley, 0. Rastley, 20; Keighley, 0. Broughton, 2; St. Helena, 5. Fetherston, 10; Leeds, 13. Halifax, 25; Bradford, 3. Hull, 2; Hull Kingston, 13. Rochdale, 25; Hunslet, 0. Balford, 5; Leigh, 17. St. Helena Res., 39; Huddersfield, 5. Warrington, 11; Wakefield, 7. Widnes, 18; Swinton, 0. Wigan, 14; Oldham, 5. York, 29; Bramley.

## S.O.E. FOOTBALLERS

All players and those interested in the Sons of England Football Club are asked to attend a special meeting of the club, which will be held in the Veterans of France Rooms, Douglas Street, at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. Mr. Briggs, the secretary, is desirous of a large turnout, as matters affecting the welfare of their team in the first division of the Football League will be dealt with.

## VICTORIA WILL SEE

## COAST LEAGUE BALL

Seattle Nine Play Against All-Star Aggregation at Local Stadium on Friday—Record Crowd Expected

The intimation given in The Colonist sport columns recently that the Victoria baseball fans would have the opportunity of witnessing an exhibition of Coast League baseball was correct. Word was received here yesterday by Mr. Frank Hopkins, manager of the Victoria Baseball Club, that the Seattle team and an all-star aggregation of Coast League players will perform here on Friday afternoon next.

This intelligence will be welcome news to the many local fans who have been eagerly waiting to see the Coast League boys in action. Duke Kenworthy, who is in charge of the Seattleites, has a strong team this year, and the majority of the all-star players are members of the San Francisco roster, with two men from Los Angeles and three from Portland. The exhibition match should draw a record crowd, and arrangements are being made accordingly.

The teams will leave for Bellingham on Tuesday, playing there on that day. Games will be played in Vancouver on Wednesday and Thursday, with Victoria the stopping point on Friday. The round tour will terminate in Tacoma, where a game has been arranged for next Saturday. The two teams will depart after facing each other in Seattle for the last time this day week.

## "Watch Our Smoke"

The Seattle team is made up entirely of regulars, whose motto is "Watch Our Smoke." The American nine have played well throughout the season, and stand but four games behind the Los Angeles nine, the league leaders. The Seattle crew have a fine variety of twirlers, who have been not a little obstacle to the different clubs in the circuit. The all-star outfit is composed of many of the best players in the Coast League, and a merry scrap will, it is expected, hold the attention of local ball fans on Friday next.

There is a close race on in the Coast League now, which is being watched with interest by a large number of local fans. Los Angeles is at present occupying the premier berth, with Sacramento and San Francisco right on their heels. Seattle is a close fourth. There is a possibility that there may yet be a tie in the leadership before the league comes to a close this week, and Victoria ball enthusiasts have it all dotted out as to the winners of the season.

The line-up of the two teams on their tour will be as follows:

Seattle—Pitchers, Jacobs, Brenton, Demaree, Francis, Schorr, Daley; catchers, Tobin and Adams; 1b, Murphy; 2b, Kenworthy; 3b, Westerly; ss, Stumpf; cf, Middleton; cf, Eldred; if, Lane.

## VARSIITY TOURNEY ENDS FIRST ROUND

Fine Weather Provides Excellent Tennis Matches for College Players at Laurel Courts, Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—First round matches in the annual Varsity tennis tournament were practically completed on Saturday morning on the Laurel courts. The college players took advantage of the fine weather, and a number of excellent matches were seen. The results of the morning's play follow:

Men's singles—Palmer beat Underwood, 6-4, 6-2; Peters beat Roberts, 5-7, 6-4, 6-2; Hinks beat Finlay, 6-4, 6-1; LeNeve, beat Cline, 6-1, 6-2.

Men's doubles—Bell and Charlton beat Kagnoff and Gray, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4; Grezgor and Hinks beat Annett and Finlay, 6-2, 6-4.

## RIFLE SCORES

The 16th Canadian Scottish Rifles held their weekly shoot at the Clover Point Range on Saturday under ideal fair weather conditions. Corporal A. E. Ash winning the A Class spoon with a score of 94. The scores of the marksmen were as follows:

Names... 299 580 600 Tl.  
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 Pte. A. B. Ford... 31 33 24—88  
 Sgt. C. Cogita... 28 31 28—87  
 R. S. M. D. Fyvie... 28 30 24—82  
 Lieut. E. Homan... 29 29 25—83  
 Pte. J. K. Edwards... 31 27 13—71  
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## WILSONS COP ONE IN LEAGUE OPENER

Playing a Fairly Even Game the Wholesale Grocers' Team Put Up Splendid Showing Yesterday

Wilson's carried off the victory to the tune of four to one against Kelly-Leiser's team in the opening scrap of the Wholesale Grocers' League for the season, at the Albin grounds, Beacon Hill, yesterday.

The play was fairly even throughout the whole game, and there was very little to choose from between the two teams, though Wilson's boys showed the greater speed and made a swift score of a goal in the first minute of the play. This put energy into the battle from the start and gave the spectators a spicy show to the end of the play. At half-time the score stood one to nothing in favor of Wilson's kickers and all the rest of the counting was made in the second half.

There was some classy playing exhibited on both sides, and the indications are that there is some fine material in the Wholesale Grocers' League, which, when it is developed later in the season, will provide excellent entertainment for lovers of the game. The referee was P. Shrimpton, who did good work, but it would be well if in future games the referee keeps things well in hand. There is a tendency to allow a lively interest in the playing to overleap orderly control. No criticism of individual players can be made, as all did well in this initial game.

## GRASS HOCKEY CLUB HAS PRACTICE GAME

The Victoria Grass Hockey Club held the first practice match of the season yesterday afternoon, when two games were played, one between two teams of ladies, and one between men's teams. The playing was attended by a goodly number of spectators at the Jubilee Hospital grounds, and there is evidently much interest in this sport in the city. Next Saturday another practice match has been arranged for, and following that the regular schedule of matches will be announced.

All who are interested in the game are invited to lend their support in making the Grass Hockey Club a popular organization.

## IF BACK HURTS USE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if kidneys feel like lead or bladder bothers.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

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## Amputations Association

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—A national amputations association of the Great War was formed at the convention of representative of amputees associations from all over the country here yesterday. A resolution was adopted, asking the Government to appoint another committee to reconsider pensions.



New York Captures the  
American League Honor

## SPORTING NEWS

Players Start Rioting  
At Coast League Game

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sleeves. Lined with  
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with a large cape  
collar of opossum.  
This coat is remark-  
able value at \$185.

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No. 124. A particu-  
larly high-grade coat  
with deep cape col-  
lar of skunk. Easily  
worth \$750.00 today.  
Special price, \$585



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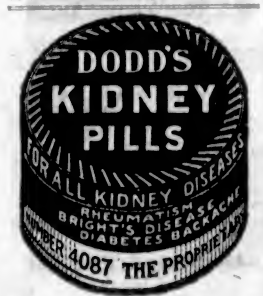
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### LAST GAME DECIDES LEAGUE CHAMPION

Race Has Settled Down to  
Nip and Tuck Battle Be-  
tween Ty Cobb and Heil-  
man for Batting Honors

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—The champion  
of the American League may not be



known until the last game of the season has been played this year. The race has settled down to a nip-and-tuck battle between Ty Cobb, pitcher of the Detroit Tigers, and his hard-hitting outfielder, Harry Heilman. Babe Ruth is the Dark Horse for premier honors.

The Detroit sluggers, tied a week ago, are separated by one point, according to averages released today. Heilman is hitting .331, while his boss, Cobb, has a mark of .329, the former having participated in more games than the Georgia Peach. Ruth is trailing the pair with an average of .310. Heilman dropped three points, while Cobb lost four. George Sieler, St. Louis star, retains fourth place with .373, while Tris Speaker, manager of the world's champions, is holding fifth place with .353, a loss of eight points.

Ruth cracked out two home-runs since the last compilation of the averages, and now has a season's record of 55. He is far in the lead as a run-getter, having counted 156 times, while his 261 hits have given him a total of 449 bases. Besides his circuit drive Babe has slammed out 44 doubles and 16 triples.

Sieler kept pace with Harris, of Washington, for the stolen base honors. Each added one to his string, but the St. Louis player is showing the way with 23 thefts, one in front of his rival.

Other leading batters for 100 or more games: Tobin, St. Louis, .352; Jacobson, St. Louis, .345; Williams, St. Louis, .345; E. Collins, Chicago, .339; Veach, Detroit, .336; Strunk,

Chicago, .336. Roger Hornsby, of St. Louis, is making a strong bid to be the first hitter to finish the National League season with an average above the .400 mark since the days of Delahanty, who, while with Philadelphia in 1899, topped the batters with an average of .408. If the St. Louis star, who is hitting .406, maintains his pace, he will enter the National League Hall of Fame with such men as Barnes, Chicago, who hit .403 in 1878; Cap Anson, Chicago, who finished in 1879 with .407; Stenzel, Pittsburgh, who averaged .409 in 1893, and Duffy, Boston, with .433 in 1894.

Hornsby is leading the run-getters with 123 runs and 369 bases. His hits include 20 homers, the latter mark being three behind George Kelly, of the New York Giants.

Frank Elich, of the Giants, retained his lead as the best base-stealer with a total of 47.

Ed Rousch, of Cincinnati, has made a great sport in hitting, and is trailing Hornsby with an average of .351, while McInerney, of St. Louis, and Cruise, of Boston, have tied for third place with .345.

Other leading batters for 100 games: Fournier, St. Louis, .345; Meusel, New York, .342; Fritch, New York, .339; J. Smith, St. Louis, .333; Bigbee, Pittsburgh, .325; Johnston, Brooklyn, .324.

"Fifty-four forty or fight" was the war cry of the early settlers of the Oregon country, that being the latitude of the boundary line claimed but not obtained from Great Britain.

### Players Start Riot at Seattle Baseball Game

Umpire Croter Sits on Player's Head—Bats Used  
Freely in Scuffle—Police Are Called in to  
Quell Free-for-All Among the  
Ball Fans Yesterday

SEATTLE, Oct. 1.—Police with difficulty quelled a riot at the ball park here, where Seattle and San Francisco's Coast League teams were playing this afternoon. The trouble was said to have started over an umpire's decision. Hundreds of fans took part in the fight that followed. The game was resumed after a half hour's delay.

Rioting at the ball park here this afternoon during the game between Seattle and San Francisco's Coast League teams involved players on both sides, three umpires and more than 1,000 fans, before the police finally restored order. No one was seriously hurt.

According to bystanders, trouble started when Walsh, left fielder for San Francisco, became provoked at Umpire Jacob Croter and threw his bat at the grand stand. Croter ordered Walsh off the field, and Walsh is reported to have struck the umpire. Players on both sides intervened, and

soon fists and bats, were flying indiscriminately. The game finally was resumed.

After the contest, Umpire Croter preferred telegraphic charges with President W. H. McCarthy, of the Coast League, against five San Francisco players, recommending that they be fined and suspended. This would keep them from the game the rest of the season, as only one day remains. It also would impair seriously the Seals' chances of winning the pennant, as star players are involved. The players alleged by the umpire to have precipitated the riot were Walsh, Graham, Agnew, Shore and O'Connell.

Witnesses said Walsh threw his bat after the umpire had called a third strike. A few minutes later, O'Connell, the visitors' first baseman, and Umpire Croter were fighting. Croter got the player down and sat on his head. The riot then spread.

### NEW YORK COPS AMERICAN PENNANT

Defeats Philadelphia in a  
Double Header—Only One  
Game Was Needed to Cap-  
ture Honor

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—New York won its first American League championship today, defeating the Philadelphia Athletics in a double-header, 5 to 3 and 7 to 6. The second game went eleven innings. It was only necessary for New York to win one game to capture the pennant.

Carl Mays won the first game for New York, his 27th victory of the season. Sullivan, a Three I. league graduate, pitched against Mays and made a good showing. Wild throws behind him handicapped his efforts.

The second game was a burlesque in which Huggins used all of his extra players. Ruth shifted from left field to first base, then to pitcher. Philadelphia tied the score by making six runs on RBI's, but New York won in the eleventh on Rogers' double and Mitchell's single. Ruth made only one single in the double-header.

Frank Graham, of the New York Evening Sun, today was selected official world series scorer for the Giants, and Weed Dickinson, of the New York Morning Telegraph, official scorer for the Yanks.

### LEAGUE BASEBALL

Coast League  
At Seattle— R. H. E.  
San Francisco 10 13 1  
Seattle 7 12 4  
Couch, O'Keefe and Yelton; Bren-  
ton, Dailly, Mack and Adams.  
At Portland— R. H. E.  
Los Angeles 13 20 3  
Portland 8 17 2  
Randall and Stange; Philiste and  
Baker.  
At Oakland— R. H. E.  
Salt Lake 0 4 0  
Oakland 1 5 0  
Rienley and Lynn; Krause and  
Read.  
Sacramento— Vernon postponed;  
rain.

National League  
At Philadelphia—First game—  
R. H. E.  
New York 9 14 3  
Philadelphia 10 20 3  
Douglas and Gonzales; Meadows  
and Henline.  
(Second)—  
R. H. E.  
New York 3 7 0  
Philadelphia 9 8 1  
Caine and Gaston; Hugg and Peters.  
At Brooklyn— R. H. E.  
Boston 4 19 2  
Brooklyn 7 13 6  
Watson, Whorwiler and O'Neill;  
Mitchell and Taylor.  
At St. Louis— R. H. E.  
Pittsburgh 4 10 3  
St. Louis 5 7 1  
Hamilton, Glavin and Schmidt; Per-  
tick, Shadish, Bailey and Dillhoefer.  
Clemens, Almsmith.  
At Cincinnati— R. H. E.  
Chicago 3 10 2  
Cincinnati 5 15 9  
Alexander and O'Farrell; Marquard  
and Hartgrave.

American League  
At Boston (First)— R. H. E.  
Washington 7 9 2  
Boston 2 10 3  
Zachary and Gharriety; Fenwick and  
Walters.  
(Second)—  
R. H. E.  
Washington 4 15 0  
Boston 1 7 1  
Erickson and Gharriety; Kerr and Wal-  
tara.  
At Chicago— R. H. E.  
Cleveland 5 9 0  
Chicago 5 15 9  
Uble, Matis and Shinnault; Russell,  
Hodge and Laryan.  
At Detroit— R. H. E.  
St. Louis 11 18 3  
Detroit 4 9 3  
Dayne, Vanzelder and Severoid; Ois-  
ham and Woodall.

At New York (First)— R. H. E.  
Philadelphia 3 15 3  
New York 1 5 0  
Sullivan and Perkins; Mays and  
Sebang.  
(Second)—  
R. H. E.  
Philadelphia 4 14 1  
New York 7 12 0  
Rommel and Parkins; J. Walker;  
Hoyt, Quinn, Ruth and Devoemer.

Ex-Speaker Rabun Shimada is  
back as the "Wendell Phillips of  
Japan."

### OLD COUNTRY SOCCER

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Results of soc-  
cer games played in the Old Country  
today follow:

First Division  
Arsenal 1, Everton 0.  
Aston Villa 2, Tottenham Hot-  
spur 1.  
Birmingham 1, Sunderland 0.  
Blackburn R. 3, Manchester C. 1.  
Bradford C. 0, Burnley 4.  
Huddersfield Town 3, Bolton W. 0.  
Liverpool 1, Chelsea 1.  
Manchester U. 1, Preston N.E. 1.  
Middlesbrough 0, Cardiff C. 0.  
Newcastle U. 2, Sheffield U. 1.  
Oldham A. 1, West Bromwich A. 0.

Second Division  
Blackpool 0, Hull City 1.  
Bristol C. 1, Leicester C. 1.  
Bury 1, Barnley 2.  
Clapton 4, Leeds U. 2.  
Fulham 1, Notts County 0.  
Nottingham F. 2, Derby 0.  
Portsmouth 0, Stoke 1.  
Rotherham C. 2, Bradford 0.  
The Wednesday 1, Cray Palace 0.  
South Shields 1, West Ham U. 0.  
Wolverhampton 1, Coventry C. 0.

Third Division  
Northern Section  
Aston Villa 1, Durham City 0.  
Chesterfield 0, Accrington S. 1.  
Crewe Alexandra 2, Barrow 1.  
Grimby 1, Wiganboro 1.  
Halifax Town 0, Tranmere 2.  
Lincoln C. 1, Wexham 0.  
Nelson 1, Darlington 1.  
Rotherham 2, Rochdale 1.  
Sheff. Wed. 1, Hartlepool 0.  
Walsall 2, Blythburgh Celtic 2.

Third Division  
Southern Section  
Brighton and H. 0, Southampton 1.  
Charlton A. 1, Brentford 1.  
Merthyr Town 2, Grimsby 0.  
Newport C. 1, Norwich C. 0.  
Northampton C. 2, Bristol R. 2.  
Plymouth A. 2, Luton Town 0.  
Portsmouth 2, Millwall 1.  
Queens Park 1, Reading 1.  
Southend U. 0, Exeter C. 1.  
Swindon Town 1, Swansea Town 0.  
Weymouth 3, Exeter 0.

GLASGOW, Oct. 1.— Scottish  
League:  
First Division  
Aberdeen 1, Hibernians 2.  
Airdrie 0, Dundee 2.  
Clydebank 1, Hamilton A. 1.  
Hearts 4, Falkirk 1.  
Kilmarnock 2, Ayr United 1.  
Norton 1, Third Lanark 1.  
Motherwell 2, Clyde 0.  
Partick Thistle 2, Raith Rovers 1.  
Queen's Park 2, Dunfermline 2.  
St. Mirren 2, Albion Rovers 1.  
Scottish League, Second Division  
Arbroath 2, E. Stirling Albion 1.  
Dundee Hibernians 7, C. Lack-  
mann 1.  
East Fife 2, Johnston 2.  
Aston 3, Forfar 1.  
Droghda 2, Leuchly 0.  
Cowdenbath 4, Steathouse Muir 1.  
Kings Park 0, Raithgate 0.  
Armadale 1, Dumfries 0.  
St. Bernard 2, St. Johnstone 1.  
Vale of Leven 2, Boness 0.

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the school, standing, as she does, a  
monument to American success,"  
said Rear-Admiral Henry B. Wilson,  
superintendent of the Academy, in  
accepting the craft.

WESTFIELD, N.J., Oct. 1.—Geo.  
Duncan and Abe Mitchell, British golf  
professionals, today defeated Pat  
O'Hara, of the Richmond Country  
Club, and Peter O'Hara, of the  
Shackamone Country Club, by 1 up  
in a 36-hole match over the Shack-  
amone course.

### J.B.A.A. RUGBY

All members and those inter-  
ested in the James Bay Athletic  
Association's Rugby team are  
asked to turn out to a special  
practice which will be held at  
Oak Bay Park this morning at  
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anxious to trim the Wanderers in  
their first match of the season on  
October 23, and particularly hope  
that a large number of players  
turn out today.

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### VICTORIA CRICKET CLUB WILL MEET

Business Meeting in Conservative  
Club Rooms Will Discuss Next  
Year's Arrangements

The Victoria and District Cricket  
Association is calling a meeting for  
Friday night next, October 7, in the  
Conservative Club rooms, Campbell  
Building, at 3 o'clock. The meeting  
will be open to all taking an interest  
in the game and is called for the  
purpose of inviting suggestions and  
discussing proposals relative to next  
year's programme, grounds, district  
cricket, and inter provincial games.

It is earnestly hoped by the ex-  
ecutive that the public will attend and  
a most hearty welcome is extended  
to those with suggestions to offer.

### CANADIAN TENNIS PLAYER IS WINNER

BERKELEY, Cal., Oct. 1.—Wallace  
Bates, Canadian champion, a student  
at the University of California, de-  
feated Norman Peach, of the Aus-  
tralian Davis Cup tennis team, in an ex-  
hibition match here today, 6-2, 6-1.  
J. B. Hawkes, also of the Aus-  
tralian team, won from John Strachan,  
runner-up for the California singles  
championship, 6-1, 6-2.

Chicago Varsity Winner  
CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Chicago Uni-  
versity opened the Western confer-  
ence football season with an easy 31  
to 0 victory over Northwestern Uni-  
versity today at Stagg Field before a  
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## SHOWER IS GIVEN FOR BRIDE-TO-BE

Affair Held at Home of Mrs. W. Harrison, Sidney, for Miss Edna Parkes—About Fifty Guests Attend

SIDNEY, Oct. 1.—A social event of unusual interest took place on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. Harrison, "The Orchard," Sidney, when a miscellaneous shower was given by Mrs. Harrison and daughter, assisted by Mrs. Stanley Brethour, in honor of Miss Edna Parkes, who will become the bride of Mr. J. Gaskie, of Port Angeles, in the near future.

About fifty guests were present and spent an enjoyable afternoon with music and games. There was a flower guessing contest, and another in which kerpies had to be sewed in silk with an outline stitch. This latter game caused great amusement. The first prizes in these contests were bestowed, and were won by Miss Eileen White and Mrs. C. J. Storey, respectively, while the booby prizes were won by Mrs. A. Harvey and Mrs. France.

When Miss Parkes, accompanied by her mother, entered the room, Mrs. Patchell played a few bars of Lohengrin's Wedding March, the guests all rising.

A dainty and delicious tea was prepared by Mrs. Roy Brethour, and was served in the dining room by Mrs. J. J. White and Mrs. C. C. Cochran, assisted by the young ladies of the Junior W. A.

The room was beautifully decorated by large foliage plants and dahlias. The tables were artistically done in pink sweet peas, ferns and tiny kerpies, the centerpiece being a large case of sweet peas with a kerpie dress in pink tulle and satin standing in among the blooms. The decorations were the work of Miss Gertrude Harrison.

After tea a large child's wagon, covered with pink and white tissue paper, with hoops over the top and laden with parcels, was hauled into the room and presented to the bride-to-be by little Thora Harrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Harrison, a lovely little fairy in pink organza and satin ribbon.

Willie handed the parcels, the wagon and unrolled the parcels,

which were handed to the bride and then passed among the guests. Among the gifts was a book composed of colored pictures of cakes, etc., cut out of magazines, with the recipes typewritten in below.

Before leaving, each guest wrote her favorite recipe on a slip of paper and these were judged by Miss Parkes. Mrs. France was the winner, her recipe being for pumpkin pie.

Mrs. Whiting, Mrs. Patchell and Mrs. McMullen supplied music during the afternoon.

## HARLAND & WOLFF SET UP ON THAMES

LONDON, Oct. 1.—London will again become the first port of the world when the plans of the Belfast shipbuilders, Harland & Wolff, are in full operation. The firm has secured eight sites along the banks of the Thames River in order to develop their scheme for the establishment of a plant for the repairing and refitting of ships on a large scale. It is expected that several thousand men, engaged in various trades, will be employed as it is understood that the firm will undertake all sorts of repair work. In addition to repair work on ships, barges, tugs, lock gates and machinery, the repairs to the plant belonging to the Port of London authority will be handled by the Belfast firm. Hitherto much of this work has been sent elsewhere.

The company will expend over a quarter of a million pounds on new buildings alone.

## CAPT. BJERRE DIES SUDDENLY IN NORTH

VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—Capt. A. J. Bjerre, master of the Vancouver tug Commodore, and one of the oldest seamen in these waters, dropped dead on his boat today at Prince Rupert. A message to this effect, which does not state the probable cause of death, was received by his employers, the B. C. Mills and Timber Company, here tonight.

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—The rate of exchange in connection with shipments of freight between points in Canada and the United States from October 10 to October 14 inclusive, will be 9 13-16 per cent and the surcharge on this traffic will be 6 per cent. The rate of surcharge on international passenger business will be based on 10 per cent exchange. This is in accordance with the Board of Railway Commissioners of January 14, last.

## CONVENTION HERE ON SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

District Religious Education Council Promoting Gathering on October 13-14—Dr. Robertson Coming



DR. J. C. ROBERTSON

The Religious Education Convention, being promoted by the District Religious Education Council, will be held in the First Presbyterian Church on October 13 and 14.

Two special topics will be featured, "Educational Evangelism," and "Young People's Work."

The chief speakers at the convention will be Dr. J. C. Robertson, general secretary for the young people's and Sunday School work of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and Rev. W. E. Galloway, Sunday School field secretary of the Methodist Church in Western Canada.

The big feature of the gathering will be an illustrated lecture by Dr. Robertson on Sunday School work in the Orient. Dr. Robertson, one of the outstanding figures in the work among the young people in Canada, and a powerful speaker, attended the International Sunday School convention at Tokyo last year, and had the opportunity then of ascertaining much concerning the Sunday School work in Japan.

The convention here will be open to all Sunday School workers in the city.

## WEDDINGS

Warnick-George

At a pretty home wedding last Wednesday night Miss Helen George, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. George, became the bride of Leonard B. Warnick, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Warnick, of Victoria. B. C. Dr. Hinson read the service in the presence of the immediate family. Miss Laura Hall played the bridal music. The bride looked beautiful in a simple dress of white, net with an embroidered veil and orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Genevieve George, and R. Hedberg acted as best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held, at which a large number of friends of the young couple were present. Miss Bertha Bittelhausen, Lena Schulz and Marion Buckley assisted in the dining room. The rooms were beautifully decorated with autumn foliage and gladioli. The bride is a popular Portland girl. The bridegroom is a student at the North Pacific Dental College and a member of Delta Sigma Delta fraternity. After a wedding trip to British Columbia the young couple will return to Portland to make their home. The Sunday Oregonian, Sept. 5.

## VICTORIA ARTISTS RETURN FROM DUNCAN

Assisted at Successful Cabaret in Aid of King's Daughters' Hospital—Gratifying Results

A number of Victoria artists participated in the programme of the successful cabaret held at Duncan on Friday evening on behalf of the funds of the King's Daughters' Hospital, and helped to share the credit for the gratifying proceeds, amounting to about \$200. A very cordial reception

was given the visitors, who motored up on Friday afternoon and returned on the midday train yesterday.

Mr. Kenneth Angus opened the programme with the prologue from "Flagellated": Miss Eva Hart sang "Men," and "I Was a Shy Little Girl," giving "Cherubim" in response to prolonged applause. Mrs. "Billie" Rochford sang (with chorus) "The Doll," Mr. Hinson taking the part of "the man"; Miss Dorothy Switzer's number was "It's Hard To Get Up in the Morning." Mrs. A. J. Gibson, of Victoria, accompanied with her usual skill, and Miss Barbara Gibson, who was another member of the Victoria party, sold cigarettes in aid of the hospital funds.

The cabaret was arranged under the capable direction of Mrs. Cowley, of Duncan, and was generally pronounced one of the most successful ever given in the district. Among the Duncan artists who took part was Mr. Eastman, who sang (with chorus) "Going Up," and a second comedy turn; Mrs. Barton, who contributed "Melancholy in the Wood," and Mrs. Heavan.

## "AIMSFELD" FUEL SAVER

Prizes (of fuel savers and sundry bags of best washed nut coal) in connection with the demonstration of the "Aimfeld" fuel saver, in a lighted stove at the exhibition lately held here, have been awarded as follows:

First prize to Miss Margery McCannel, 650 Linden Avenue.

You may sing of the song the kettle sings.

So sweet to the heart of a lover.

I'll sing of the joy the "Aimfeld" brings.

For it saves my fuel twice over.

Second prize to Mrs. E. J. Haughton, 1925 Cowan Avenue.

He loves to smoke his seasoned briar

And watch the smoke clouds roll.

And think how "Aimfeld's" fuel-saver

Has saved him half his coal.

Third prize to Mr. Kay, 2627 Graham Street, Victoria.

When fuel bills sickened my poor wife,

'Twas a fuel saver saved her life.

Extra prize (consolation) to Mrs. Fisher, 5015 Cameron Street, Victoria.

The "Aimfeld" fuel savers I've been told

Are honestly worth their weight in gold.

These prizes will be forwarded to the successful competitors within the next few days.

Dominion Revenue in September  
OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—Customs and excise revenue collected during the month of September totalled \$19,298,145. Of this amount \$8,852,121 represented customs import duties, \$6,283,195 excise taxes, \$2,092,224 excise duties, and \$215,607 sundry collections.

# GOWEN'S STOCK-REDUCING SALE

A 33 1/3% to 50% Discount on all Fashion Craft Suits and Overcoats

Our stock is too heavy for this season of the year, and we are determined to reduce it, and, in order to do so, we are cutting prices to the bone.

## A WONDERFUL RANGE OF ALL-WOOL Tweed and Worsted Business Suits

SUITS, value to \$50.00, for \$35.00 SUITS, value to \$60.00, for \$40.00  
SUITS, value to \$75.00, for \$50.00

We are carrying too many

## Young Men's Models

and have grouped them as follows:

\$60.00 values for \$30.00 \$50.00 values for \$25.00

## Overcoats

English-made Overcoats, well tailored, and the choicest cloths, rainproofed (with and without belts).

\$90.00 values for \$60.00 \$75.00 values for \$50.00  
\$60.00 values for \$40.00

## Special Line of Winter Overcoats

We have marked to clear at \$18.00 to \$25.00

These are in good quality tweeds, and are away below the present market value.

Rainbury Tweed Overcoats, specially adapted for the wet weather, \$25.00 to \$40.00

## Men's Furnishings

In our Men's Furnishing Department you will find excellent values. Here are a few of them:

## UNDERWEAR

All-Wool Combinations, medium weight, a suit \$5.00  
All-Wool Combinations, heavy weight, a suit \$7.50  
Watson's, medium weight, a garment \$1.65  
Jaeger Pure Wool Underwear, combination, a suit \$6.50, \$9.00 and \$12.00  
Arrow Shirts, \$1.50 to \$5.00  
Silk Poplin Shirts \$8.00

## HOSIERY

Black Cashmere Hose \$5.00  
Black Cashmere Hose \$5.00  
Fancy Cashmere Hose \$1.25  
Fancy Ribbed Worsted Hose \$1.00  
One-Third Off All Neckwear One-Third Off All Motor Rugs

**F. A. GOWEN** 1107 Government St.

## Tanlac Accomplishes Remarkable Results In Geo. H. Nickels' Case

Prominent Wisconsin Man Says Tanlac Promptly Relieved Him of Bad Case of Stomach Trouble of Six Months' Standing—Gains 27 Pounds and Feels Fine as a Fiddle.



GEORGE H. NICKELS

It is an unquestionable fact that Tanlac is now being more widely endorsed by well known men and women than any other medicine on the American market. One of the latest to testify is George H. Nickels, well known lecturer, residing at 227 Wells St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

"Tanlac has not only completely restored my health, but I have actually gained 27 pounds in weight," said Mr. Nickels in referring to the remarkable benefits he has derived from the medicine.

"For something over six months, my stomach was very badly disordered. I suffered terribly from indigestion and dyspepsia. At times I would be in great distress and I would invariably experience an uncomfortable bloated feeling for hours after eating. I had no appetite scarcely and the little I ate would often make me deathly sick. My head ached until I felt like it would burst and I was so nervous I trembled like a leaf. When I got up in the morning, I was so weak and dizzy, I couldn't trust myself to walk around and I just hurt all over."

"Tanlac has brought about a wonderful change in my condition for I am now enjoying the very best of health. My appetite is splendid. I sleep with me perfectly. The nervousness, headaches and dizzy spells are all gone and I never have an ache or pain. I am only too glad to tell others about the wonderful good Tanlac has done. It has no equal!"

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by Duncan B. Campbell and by leading druggists everywhere. (Adv.)

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Ladies' Plain Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, each, 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c

Gents' Plain Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, each, 30c, 50c and 75c

Fine Quality English Marcella Bedspreads, double bed size. Reg. \$12.50. On sale \$8.50

Pure Scotch All-Wool Blankets, in two sizes, 7 and 8 lbs., sizes 68 x 86 and 72 x 90 inches. On sale, pair, \$12.50 and \$14.50

Fine English Hemstitched Pillow Slips, Horrockses make. On sale, each, 75c and \$1.00

15 Fine Down Double Bed Comforters, large size. On sale, your choice for \$15.00

Heavy Quality English White Flannelette, 30 and 34 inches wide. On sale, 40c yard, 30c and 40c

Large White Turkish Bath Towels, exceptional value. On sale, pair, \$2.00 and \$3.00

Colored Border Fine White Turkish Face Towels. Regular price up to \$3.50. On sale, pair, \$2.50

Bleached Cotton Sheeting, good wearing quality: 72 and 80 inches wide. 95c yard, 75c and 95c

Horrockses' Colored, Stripe English Flannelette, 33 and 36 inches wide. 40c Very special, yard.

**Shelly's 4X Cake**

THE children's school lunch with I taste far more if you will just include a piece of Shelly's 4X Cake. Think how their young eyes would sparkle; the "tip" that Shelly's 4X Cake would give even the youngest appetite! It solves at once the problem of what to "put up"; and it is so good for them. Shelly's 4X Cake is rich and deep; light and tender—FLASH-HEAT BAKED. With four varieties to choose from—White, Chocolate, Raisin and "Blue Gold," Shelly's 4X Cake will take the "mummers" from the school lunch. It comes invitingly wrapped in a moisture-proof package. The first hands to touch it are your own. Price 15c.

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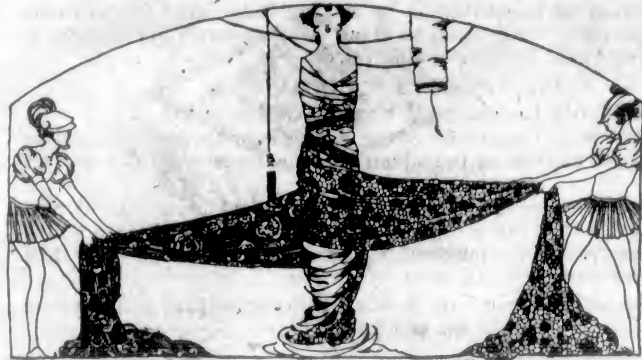
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# SALE OF BRITISH GOODS

## COMMENCES MONDAY



### HIGH-GRADE SILKS

On Sale at Remarkably Low Prices

Black Taffeta Novelty Silks, embroidered with gold and silver tinsel. Silk Velvets made superbly handsome with embroidered designs and gold tinsels.

Colored Taffeta Silks, on which the designs have been embroidered in white silk.

Heavy Georgettes and Ninons in wonderfully attractive designs worked out in gold and silver embroidery.

Values \$27.50 to \$35.00 a yard, on sale at ..... **\$6.75**

Silk Paillette, 36 inches wide, a lustrous silk, strong and durable, for dresses and waists, in shades of black, turquoise, paddy, white, mauve, Pekin, Copenhagen, pink, myrtle, wine, grey and taupe. Regular \$2.50 value, at ..... **\$1.20**

27-inch Silk Spot Mull, a soft material with a silk spot that will wear and launder well. For waists and children's dresses. Regular 59c. On sale at ..... **20¢**

36-inch Silk Trigolette, for dresses and middies. This fabric is of correct weight and even weave. In shades of black, white, Pekin, Copenhagen, sky, mauve and biscuit. Regular \$3.75. On sale at ..... **\$2.08**

40-inch Satin Charmeuse, high grade satin, equally suitable for street or house wear, of a lustrous finish and firm texture. Shades of taupe, zinc, buff, navy, negro, Copenhagen, honey dew, sky, pink, jade, gold and black. Regular \$5.75 at ..... **\$2.98**

40-inch Silk Georgette, a fabric of French origin and will give excellent service. Shown in shades of flesh, henna, white, pearl, myrtle, rust, bisque, lemon, ecru and black. Regular \$3.00, at ..... **\$1.20**

36-inch Figured Lining Satins. A smart looking, hard wearing satin in favorite colorings. An ideal lining for coats. Regular \$9.75. On sale at ..... **\$5.75**

—Silks, Main Floor—Phone 1194

### Undermuslins at Bargain Prices

Nightgowns of fine mercerized mull, in shades of white and pink, and made in many dainty styles, on sale at ..... **\$1.90**

Nightgowns of fancy flowered crepe, neatly finished with hemstitching. Special at ..... **\$3.50**

Envelope Combinations of fine batiste, hand-embroidered in various dainty designs. Special at ..... **\$3.45**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor—Phone 1194

### A Sample Lot of Dainty Undermuslins at a Bargain

Gowns of Fine Mercerized Muslin, designed with deep yoke of embroidered organdie, beautifully trimmed with lace and satin ribbon rosettes. Regular \$8.75 values at ..... **\$5.90**

Gowns of Fine Nainsook and Mull, hand-embroidered. Regular \$6.75, on sale at ..... **\$4.90**

Gowns of Fine Nainsook, in a great assortment of styles. Values to \$4.50 and \$5.75 for ..... **\$3.45**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

### A Sample Assortment of Envelope Chemises at Sale Prices

Regular \$5.75 values for ..... **\$3.90**

Regular \$4.75 values for ..... **\$3.45**

Regular \$3.75 values at ..... **\$2.90**

Regular \$2.75 values at ..... **\$1.90**

### Hand-Made Gowns at Reduced Prices

Gowns made from the best materials, and all hand-embroidered:

Regular \$7.50 for ..... **\$5.90**

Regular \$9.75 for ..... **\$6.90**

Envelope Chemises, regular \$7.50 and \$8.75, on sale at ..... **\$5.90**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

### Infants' Short Dresses at \$4.90

Infants' Short Dresses of fine French nainsook and lawn, all-over embroidered; regular \$6.75 and \$7.50. Sale price... **\$4.90**

—Infants, 1st Floor—Phone 1194

### Thousands of Yards of Ribbons at Special Sale Prices

Taffeta and Satin Ribbons of excellent quality, 3 and 4 inches wide, in shades of brown, paddy, sky, saxe, mauve, black and navy. Special at, a yard ..... **25¢**

2,000 yards of Fancy Ribbons in French Dresdens, moire, satin stripes and plain taffetas, in a fine range of colors. Our regular 75c and 85c values. Specially priced at, per yard ..... **39¢**

Fancy Ribbons in Dresdens, plaids, taffetas and fancy stripes in all the wanted colors; stripe ribbons in combinations of peacock and brown, turquoise and salmon, navy and henna, navy and cerise. Your choice in a large variety at, a yard ..... **50¢**

—Ribbons, Main Floor

### Women's Imported English Underwear The Best on the Market

Women's Pure Wool Combinations of fine soft quality, silk lace edgings, no sleeves, knee length; all sizes. Regular \$13.75, for a suit ..... **\$7.00**

Women's Fine Wool Combinations, fancy silk lace yoke, silk lace edgings, daintily finished with silk braids, short and no sleeves; all sizes. Values to \$8.75, for a suit, \$3.50 and ..... **\$4.50**

Women's Knit Cotton Vests in various styles, low neck, short and no sleeves, slip-over and button fronts, long and short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 40. Special at, each ..... **75¢**

Women's Drawers and Bloomers to match above, open and closed styles, ankle length; bloomers have elastic at waist and knee. All sizes at, a pair ..... **75¢**

Women's Fine Knit Cotton Fleece Bloomers, elastic at waist and knee. Special at, a pair ..... **90¢**

Women's Cotton Mixture Combinations, in slip-over style, V neck, elbow and no sleeves, knee and ankle length. Sizes 34 to 40. A well made, hard wearing Combination for a suit ..... **\$3.65**

Women's Wool Mixture Corset Covers, Dutch neck and elbow sleeves. All sizes from 36 to 40. Very warm and comfortable at, each ..... **\$1.75**

Fleece-Lined Cotton Corset Covers, Dutch neck, button front, long sleeves, at ..... **85¢**

—Knitwear, 1st Floor—Phone 1194

### Women's Silk Nightgowns Values \$8.75 to \$12.75 at - \$3.98

Women's Nightgowns of Crepe de Chine, Silk and Satin. Some are trimmed with wide filet lace, others daintily embroidered in Pastel shades; one of the wonderful values of this sale. Regular \$8.75 to \$12.75, on sale at ..... **\$3.98**

### Silk Camisoles, Bloomers and Underskirts Greatly Reduced

Camisoles of Satin and Crepe de Chine, some trimmed with broche ribbon and lace, others have Georgette tops and satin ribbon straps. Regular values, \$3.50 and \$3.75. On sale at ..... **\$2.50**

Camisoles of Crepe de Chine, daintily embroidered and lace trimmed. Values \$2.50 to \$3.50, at ..... **\$1.75**

Camisoles of Good Quality Silk, with a wide top of filet lace. Regular \$1.75 and \$2.00. On sale at ..... **\$1.25**

Bloomers of Excellent Grade Habutai Silk, in white, flesh, navy and black. Regular \$4.75 values, at ..... **\$2.90**

Bloomers of Good Quality Satin, in white and black, flesh and navy. Regular \$5.75 and \$6.75. On sale at ..... **\$3.90**

Underskirts of Silk and Satin, trimmed with lace and hemstitching. Regular \$6.75 and \$8.50, at ..... **\$4.90**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

### Shadow Cloth Reduced

Genuine English Warp Printed Shadow Cloth, 31 inches wide, fully reversible. Special sale price, a yard, \$1.65 and ..... **\$1.25**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor—Phone 1194

### Big Sale Values in the Dress Goods Department, Including—Serges, Tweeds and Suitings

56-inch Plaid and Stripe Skirtings, shown in beautiful combination colorings, and twelve of the latest patterns. Sale price ..... **\$4.75**

29-inch Novelty Knitted Skirting, new materials, and popular for women's skirts. In stripes of brown, fawn and blue, navy, fawn and black, and navy, green and flame. On sale at ..... **\$1.25**

54-inch Blanket Cloths, all wool, and shown in shades of cardinal, grey, green, taupe, dark brown, nigger, navy and red. Regular \$4.75 value. On sale at ..... **\$2.50**

56-inch Velour Coatings, of the best texture, in shades of beige, seal, Pekin, sparrow, nigger, fawn, taupe, teal, marine, smoke, reindeer and grey. Values to \$6.75. On sale at ..... **\$4.75**

56-inch Check Coatings and Skirtings, in shades of henna and grey, royal and grey, tan and brown, grey and green, tan and purple, green and tan, wisteria, grey and navy, bronze and pea green, bronze and grey; and in stripes of French blue, grey and cardinal, grey, cream and gold, and fawn, cream and saxe. Values \$5.75 to \$8.75. On sale at ..... **\$3.95**

56-inch Stripe and Check Coatings and Skirtings, in shades of grey and brown, blue and white, purple and brown, fawn and navy, purple and gold. Values to \$7.75. On sale at ..... **\$2.25**

54-inch Heavy Wool Jersey Cloth, for coats or suits, in shades of cardinal, taupe, pink, grey, scarlet, fawn, sea green and many other shades. Regular \$4.50 value at, a yard ..... **\$2.95**

54-inch All-Wool Heather Mixture Jersey Cloth, in favorite shades, including blue, brown, green, fawn, saxe and navy. Regular \$4.50. On sale at ..... **\$2.95**

42-inch Gaberdine and Serge, for children's school wear, in shades of blue, black, Russian green, wisteria, fawn, coffee, nigger, and in checks of green, navy and fawn. Values \$1.25. On sale at ..... **60¢**

375 yards of Fancy All-Wool Serge, in navy, black, fawn, sand, mallard, brown, rose, grey and cardinal. A snap at ..... **\$1.30**

44-inch Wool Serge, an excellent material, in the following shades, navy, black, fawn, rose, saxe, silver grey, brown, drab, cardinal, Copenhagen and blue. 250 yards on sale at ..... **\$1.50**

54-inch Novelty Stripe and Check Skirting, in all the latest colorings, cream and black, cream and fawn, navy and black, fawn and saxe, saxe and grey, cream and brown, grey and black, cream and saxe, grey and wisteria. Values to \$5.75. On sale at ..... **\$3.95**

2,240 yards of Colored Sateen, in shades of old gold, light grey, medium grey, yellow, saxe, navy, light red, cardinal and fawn. Woven from fine threads and shown in a soft satin finish. 30 inches wide. Regular 65c. On sale for, a yard ..... **10¢**

All-Wool Serge, superior grade, suitable for women's and children's skirts and dresses, in shades of grey, wine, rose, fawn, brown, saxe and navy. Only a limited quantity. Regular \$3.50 values. On sale at ..... **\$1.98**

A Large Range of Best Quality Gaberdines, for women's suits and dresses, in shades of brown, saxe, light navy, mallard, grey, taupe and reindeer. 50 inches wide. On sale at ..... **\$2.95**

52-inch Umbrella Cloths, in shades of henna, saxe, navy, taupe, black, slate and brown. 125 yards to sell at ..... **\$1.98**

—Dress Goods Dept., Main Floor—Phone 1194

### Our Sale Offering of Women's Hosiery Includes Many Extraordinary Values

600 pairs of Black Silk Hose, slightly imperfect. Regular values up to \$1.50. On sale at ..... **50¢**

480 pairs of Women's Sample Silk Hose, plain and fancy, and in brown and green heather mixtures. Regular to \$1.50. On sale at, a pair ..... **50¢**

Women's Pure Silk Hose, with plain and ribbed garter tops, in shades of black, white, brown, navy, champagne, grey and polo grey. Regular \$2.00 values at ..... **\$1.25**

Women's Silk Drop-Stitch Hose, in shades of black, white, brown, navy and grey. Regular \$2.00 values. On sale at ..... **\$1.25**

Women's Plain Cashmere Hose, with spliced heels and toes, in black only. Regular \$1.25 values, at ..... **75¢**

Women's All-Wool Seamless Hose, full fashioned, in black, brown, grey and cream. Regular \$2.00 values, at ..... **\$1.25**

Women's Heather Mixture Wool Hose, plain and ribbed. Regular \$2.25 values at, a pair, \$1.00 and ..... **\$1.25**

Women's Out-Size Seamless Cashmere Hose, with spliced heels and toes. Regular \$1.75 values at, a pair ..... **\$1.25**

Women's All-Wool Out-Size Hose, in black only. Regular \$2.50 values, at ..... **\$2.00**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

### English Wools at Low Prices—Art Needle Dept. Features on Sale at Special Prices

E. & K. Wool, in heather mixtures, pretty combinations of blue, brown and purple. Regular \$4.00 lb. to clear at, lb. .... **\$2.95**

English 4-Ply Wool, in dark grey only. A strong, serviceable wool for Winter socks. Regular \$4.00 lb. Sale price, lb. .... **\$2.30**

Baby's Pram Covers, with Pillow to match, stamped on pique in a pretty basket design with a hemstitched border. Reg. \$1.70 a set. Special for Sale at, a set ..... **\$1.10**

Card Table Covers in conventional designs. Shades of blue or unbleached cotton. Regular \$1.00. Sale Price, each ..... **70¢**

Slipper and Jewel Cottons in colors of azalia, china blue, light blue, turkey red, rose, pink, saxe, sepia, green, purple, steel grey, spring green, black, orange and yellow. Reg. 40c, to clear at ..... **20¢**

Children's Stamped Rompers and Dresses in pique cotton in white and colors. Reg. values 85c to \$1.50. Sale Price, each ..... **70¢**

Day Slips, with hemstitched or scalloped ends. In pretty wreath or basket designs. Regular values up to \$2.25, to clear at ..... **\$1.20**

Stamped Tea Coies on fine white linen. Regular \$1.50. Sale Price ..... **98¢**

—Art Needlework Dept., 1st Floor Phone 1194

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# SALE OF BRITISH GOODS

## COMMENCES ON MONDAY

Never in the history of merchandising have conditions called for more ability than during the past year. Our organization is ever ready with new ideas and new methods of store management, which helps to keep our store an interesting place for the buying public.

Our success with the Canadian Manufacturers' Sale led us to the European markets, with the object of planning a similar one for the early Fall season, provided that enough goods could be purchased at low enough prices.

Our customers will be pleased to know of our success. One of the largest merchants and manufacturers in England, Rylands & Co., is reported to have reduced their stock, which is valued at £3,000,000 sterling by £1,000,000 sterling. This is only one example of what has been going on in the United Kingdom for the past six months, and our representatives in England have taken advantage of these conditions, and the result will be shown by the extraordinary bargains which will be offered during the month of October.

Your co-operation with us in making the Canadian Manufacturers' Unloading Sale a success has given us confidence in making these large preparations for Fall, and we again ask you to assist us in our latest endeavor in placing new Fall goods before you at the lowest possible prices.

### CONDITIONS IN CANADA

#### Manufacturing Conditions in Canada Are Improving

We lately have had wires from many of the leading manufacturers cancelling their prices of today on account of the advance in raw materials and a greater demand for goods.

We have, however, on account of conditions in England been able to purchase clothing at prices that will astonish you. This has been made possible only by Canadian manufacturers purchasing serges and woolsens at very low prices in England and manufacturing them in Canada.

NOTICE—This Sale will commence on Monday, October 3rd, and will continue during the entire month.

## A Very Special Purchase of FALL COATS

Specially  
Priced at **\$14.75**

This special purchase of Fall Coats presents five fashionable styles. They are made from full weight English Coatings, exceedingly well tailored and finished, and presented in shades of nigger brown, taupe and heather mixtures. The majority are made with raglan sleeves in Burberry style. Regular \$25.00 values on sale at **\$14.75**  
—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

## Navy Serge Semi-Ready Skirts, Box and Knife Pleated

On Sale at **\$3.95 Each**

Box and Knife Pleated All-Wool Serge Semi-Ready Skirts, made from serge worth \$4.75 a yard; each skirt contains 2 yards. On sale now at, each, **\$3.95**  
—Dress Goods Dept., Main Floor

## A Magnificent Selection of Women's Fur-Trimmed FALL COATS

Values as High as \$175.00, on Sale at

**\$39.75 to \$95.00**

This unusual offering of Fur-Trimmed Fall Coats includes models designed from all the popular materials, including English Velour, Normandy and Bolivia Cloths, presenting styles and general effects that cannot be surpassed.

Specially selected furs only have been used in the trimming of the Coats, and comprise beaver, mole, opossum, raccoon, beaverine, sealine, and many others just as excellent. All the coats are fully lined and many have storm sleeves.

All the favorite shades presented in the assembly, including taupe, satin, plover, deer, buck brown, dark brown, bark, navy and many others.

The collars are in every size and style, the square and shawl designs being most popular.

These are truly wonderful values at \$39.75 to **\$95.00**  
—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor—Phone 1010



## Millinery Bargains for Monday

We have selected a few special bargains to make this one of the interesting sections during the sale:

- One Table of Untrimmed Velvet Shapes, large and small, in all colors at, each, **\$1.69**
- One Table of Velvet, Felt and Silk Ready-to-Wear Hats. All shapes; values to \$7.95. Sale price, **\$2.49**
- One Table of Trimmed Millinery, comprising velvet with ostrich wings and fancy ornamental trimmings; also a few silk hats with suitable trimmings. Values to \$10.00 to clear at, **\$4.95**
- One Table of Trimmed Models, Large Hats and Toques, including a few Gage Ready-to-Wears. Values to \$12.00 for, **\$6.95**
- One Box of Assorted Trimmings, values to \$1.50, to clear at, each, **50c**  
—Millinery, 1st Floor—Phone 1010

## Children's Hosiery at Sale Prices

### Many Excellent Values

- Children's Cotton Hose at, a pair, **25c**
- Children's Strong School Hose, in black and brown, 35c Or, 3 pairs for, **\$1.00**
- Boys' Buster Brown Hose, on sale at, a pair, **50c**
- Boys' Worsted Hose, 2-1 rib, regular \$1.00 at, pair, **50c**
- Boys' English Wool Hose, 4-1 rib, regular \$2.00 values, on sale at, a pair, **\$1.00**
- Girls' Fine Ribbed Lisle Hose, in black, white and brown at, a pair, **50c**
- Girls' Plain Cashmere Hose, in black only, at, a pair, **50c**
- Girls' All-Wool Ribbed Hose at, a pair, 75c and, **\$1.00**
- Children's All-Wool Three-Quarter Socks, in brown, cream and black, on sale at, a pair, **50c**
- Children's All-Wool Half Socks, in brown, cream and black, on sale at, a pair, **50c**
- Boys' Heather Mixture Three-Quarter Socks, in brown and green. Special at, a pair, **75c**  
—Children's Hosiery, Main Floor

## A Sale of Women's Waists at \$2.90, \$4.90, \$6.90 and \$11.75

This assortment of Waists designed in the newest styles from excellent grade Silks, Tricolettes, Crepe de Chine, Jerseyette and other favorite materials, presents remarkable values.

Jerseyette, Silk and Tricolette Waists, embroidered and plain, your choice at, **\$2.90**

Waists worth at least one-third more and all in new styles and excellent grade materials, at \$4.90 to **\$11.75**  
—Waists, 1st Floor—Phone 6888

## The Celebrated English "K" Boots and Shoes for Men and Women

On Sale at  
a Pair - **\$10.90**

Boots that are renowned the world over for wear and worth.

We offer the choice of any style of boot and brogue at this special price.

Men's "K" Boots of brown "willow" calf, or black box calf, Blucher or Balmoral style, at, **\$10.90**

Men's "K" Brogues, in brown or black. All at, **\$10.90**

Women's Brogue Oxfords in brown willow calf, heavy or medium weights, and with high or low heels, **\$10.90**

Women's "K" Black Box Calf Brogues at, **\$10.90**

Women's "K" Brown Buckskin Brogues at, **\$10.90**

Women's "K" Black Glazed Kid Oxfords at, **\$10.90**

Women's "K" Brown Calf Strap Brogues, with buckles, at, **\$10.90**

Women's "K" Brown Calf Storm Boots. All at, **\$10.90**  
—Men's Shoes, Main Floor —Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

## English Porcelain Dinner Sets

Shown in Five Patterns—97 Pieces in a Set **\$32**  
Values to \$45.00, On Sale at

—China Dept., Lower Main Floor

## Children's Dresses

Children's Fine Grade Serge Dresses, in neat styles, trimmed with colored stitching and silk braid. Several styles to select from, including sailor models; trimmed with red or white braid. Sizes for children 6 to 13 years. Values to \$11.90. On sale at **\$6.75**

Colored Silk Taffeta Dresses, trimmed with pleated frills, in shades of rose, blue, pink, light fawn, dark brown, dark green, trimmed with colored silk stitching. Regular \$15.00 values. On sale at **\$8.75**

Children's Woolen Dresses, in English style, one piece, with square neck trimmed with contrasting shades; also designed with turn-down collar and finished with belt, in colors of rose trimmed with grey, blue trimmed with fawn, pale blue with white, and fawn with blue. Sizes for the ages of 2 to 6 years. \$7.75 values. On sale at **\$4.75**  
—Children's Section, 1st Floor—Phone 6888

## Children's Colored Crepe Rompers

Regular \$1.50 Values at 95c

Children's Colored Crepe Rompers of heavy grade, in several styles, with round, square and "V"-neck; made with belt and finished with elastic at knee; in shades of rose, pale blue, pink and white; sizes for the ages of 2 to 5 years, at, **95c**  
—Children's, 1st Floor

## Groceries Daily Bulletin Old Country Features

- Gloss—The one-minute Old Country metal polish, 15c tins for 30c tins, **1.00**
- Rickett's Blue, pkge., **6c**
- Lea & Perrin's Worcester Sauce, small bottles, **22c**
- Medium bottles, **44c**
- Large bottles, **73c**
- Robinson's Groats or Barley, 55c tins, **48c**
- Bisto, the gravy maker; chickens, colors and seasons gravy, soups, stews, etc. Per pack, **35c**
- Morton's Old Country Marmalade, per jar, **30c**
- Old Country Chutney Pickle, Connoisseur Brand, jar, **46c**
- Colman's Mustard, 1/4-lb. tin, **25c**
- 1-lb. tin, **50c**
- Fry's Cocoa, 1/4-lb. tin, **20c**
- Stower's Lime Juice Cordial, large bottle, **65c**
- Holbrook's Rice Flour, 1-lb. package, **20c**
- Brown & Polson's Old Country Corn Flour, package, **39c**
- Turban Dates, packed in London, England, 25c package, **13 1/2c**
- Ridgway's Old Country 5-o'clock Tea, 1/2-lb. package, **36c**
- Brown & Polson's Custard Powder, large package, **33c**
- Celebs Blanc Mange Powder, package, **14c**
- Tetley's Sunflower Tea, 1-lb. packages, **55c**
- Bird's Egg Substitute, tin, **17c**
- Lazenby's Old Country Ox Tail Soup, large tins, **70c**
- Senior's Old Country Fish Paste, bloater or anchovy, jar, **25c**
- Lazenby's White Vinegar, 45c bottles, **39c**

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9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

# SALE OF BRITISH GOODS COMMENCES MONDAY



## Sale of Men's Overcoats

Dressy Models That Have Been Made to Our Order From High-Grade British Materials

There is a visible material value in these excellent British-made Cloths that have been utilized in the manufacture of the overcoats we offer at prices practically unprecedented. You have only to see the coats to feel assured they are values of unusual worth.

### Overcoats at \$15, \$19.75, \$29.75

Men's Overcoats of All-Wool Tweeds, heavy or medium weight, and light or dark shades. They are dressy coats, well tailored and finished, and possessing all the neat touches that make them distinctive. On sale at..... **\$15.00**

Men's Tweed Overcoats, of heavy quality material, in browns, grey, mixed tweeds and heather mixtures, in belter, semi-belter, or plain back models; stylish coats, well tailored and wonderful value at..... **\$19.75**

Overcoats of All-Wool Tweed and Heavy Coatings; stylish, high-grade overcoats in all the up-to-date models, including belter, semi-belter and semi-fitting; some have raglan shoulder. They are shown in the favorite shades, and are big value at... **\$29.75**

Take advantage of this opportunity to get a cosy, dressy overcoat for the Winter at a bargain.

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

## Youths' Overcoats of All-Wool Coating Tweed on Sale at \$12.50

Made from All-Wool Coating Tweeds, in heavy or medium weights as you may desire. You will find these coats excellent value. They are shown in neat, dressy models now much in favor—belters, half belts or semi-form fitting. They are well tailored and finished, and presented in browns, greys, heather mixtures and checks; sizes to 35, on sale at..... **\$12.50**

—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor

## Children's Raincoats and Raincap

Children's Raincoats of English manufacture, double-breasted, raglan sleeves, belt and pockets; in colors of black, fawn and tan; sizes for ages of 6 to 16 years; well made and suitable for all weathers. Sale price..... **\$9.75**

Children's Raincap of English manufacture, with detachable silk lined hood; sizes in length from 21 ins. to 36 ins.; in shade of fawn; sizes in length from 21 ins. to 30 ins.; in shade of navy. Sale price..... **\$3.75**

—Children's Section, 1st Floor—Phone 6896

## Children's Reefer Coats at Sale Prices

Children's Navy Reefer Coats, well tailored, buttoned up to neck, double-breasted, turn-down collar, detachable belt at back and brass buttons; sizes for ages of 2 to 10 years. Special value at..... **\$10.00**

—Children's Section, 1st Floor—Phone 6896

## Large Choice of Children's Sweaters and Jerseys All Bargains

Children's Sweaters, in pull-over styles, with turn-down collar; in colors of navy, grey and brown. Sizes for 2 to 6 years. Special at..... **\$1.25**

Children's Sweaters, all-wool, and designed with "V" neck or buttoned on the shoulder. Sizes for the ages of 2 to 6 years, in cardinal, navy and brown. Regular values \$2.00. On sale at..... **\$1.50**

Sizes for 8 to 11 years. Regular value \$2.90, at..... **\$1.90**

Cashmere Pull-Over Jerseys, English manufacture, made with turn-down collar, in shades of green, red and saxe blue with white collars, and white with blue collar. Sizes for 2, 3 and 4 years. Regular value \$4.75. On sale at..... **\$2.75**

Children's Pull-Over Sweaters, with sailor collars, in shades of green and saxe. Sizes 7 to 11, \$4.50. On sale at..... **\$2.75**

Children's Coat Sweaters, with sailor collar, pockets and scarf, green and saxe only. Sizes for the ages of 8 to 12 years. Special at..... **\$5.95**

Children's Coat Sweaters, with Tuxedo collars, belts and pockets, in shades of rose and turquoise. Sizes 8 to 12 years. Special at..... **\$5.95**

—Children's Section, 1st Floor—Phone 6896

## Men's English Blue Serge Suits \$15.00

Men's Blue Wool Serge Suits, made from a British-made material, and of a quality that gives great satisfaction in wearing qualities. Suits in single or double-breasted standard models suitable for young men or business men. At this wonderfully low price you are offered an unusual bargain. Sizes 34 to 40 at..... **\$15.00**

## Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits Sizes 32' to 42, Big Value at \$25

All-Wool Tweed and Worsted Suits, in fancy and plain fabrics. These are shown in standard and young men's models; well tailored suits with an air of distinctiveness. The quality of the materials is of excellent grade and each suit will be judged a bargain by every purchaser. Select your Fall suit from this assortment at..... **\$25.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

## Men's Suits in English Blue Serge Worsteds and All-Wool Tweeds at \$29.75

In these excellent grade materials you are offered a choice of the best models in browns, greys, blue serges and fancy worsteds; suits showing the effects of fine tailoring and superb finish. Big values at..... **\$29.75**

## Men's Fine Worsted Suits The Finest Grades, at \$35.00

Plain Grey Worsteds, Fancy Worsteds and All-Wool Tweed Suits, stylish and distinctive in every respect; in young men's and semi-fitting models. They show superior tailoring and finish, and are exceedingly good value at..... **\$35.00**

—Men's Suits, Main Floor

## British Inlaid and Printed Linoleums at Low Prices

Scotch Inlaid Linoleum, colors through to the canvas. Formerly \$2.95, sale price, a square yard, for..... **\$2.35**

Scotch Printed Linoleum in handsome designs and best qualities; formerly \$1.65, sale price, a square yard... **\$1.35**

250-yards British Printed Linoleum. A regular \$1.65 value, on sale Monday at, a square yard... **95c**

—Carpet, 2nd Floor—Phone 1244

## British Seamless Axminster Rugs At Big Reductions—Remarkable Values

Rich deep pile Rugs, excellent in quality, beautiful in design, representing the best English and Scotch factories. The following are all one-piece rugs:

Size 9 x 12 ft., formerly \$160.00. Sale price, **\$97.50**

Size 9 x 10 ft. 6 in., formerly \$135.00. Sale price..... **\$87.50**

Size 9 ft. x 11 ft. 6 in., formerly \$105.00. Sale price..... **\$75.00**

Size 9 ft. x 9 ft., formerly \$89.50. Sale price, **\$65.00**

Size 9 ft. x 7 ft. 6 in., formerly \$75.00. Sale price..... **\$50.00**

—Carpet, 2nd Floor—Phone 1244

## Genuine British-Made Wolsey Underwear for Men

The Best Grades at Sale Prices

"Wolsey" Heavy Natural Cashmere Shirts and Drawers; the shirts made with double breast and spliced elbow, the drawers spliced knees and seat. A superior garment for Winter wear. All sizes on sale at, a garment, **\$4.95**

Combinations of the same weight and number as the above. All sizes marked down to, a suit..... **\$9.90**

"Wolsey" Heavy Natural Lambswool Shirts and Drawers; all-wool, heavy Winter garments, the best money can buy. The shirts have double breast and spliced elbows, the drawers spliced knees and seat. Special at, a garment..... **\$3.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## Men's and Boys' British-Made Jerseys on Sale at \$2.29 and \$4.95

50 dozen Boys' All-Worsted Jerseys, in neat style, with clasps at shoulder; they have great wearing qualities, and are shown in shades of dark brown. Sizes 26 to 34 chest at, each..... **\$2.29**

10 dozen Heavy All-Wool Rope Knit Jerseys, pull over head style, with high roll collar; in shades of navy blue and grey only. On sale at, each, **\$4.95**

—Boys' Furnishings, Main Floor

## Men's Heavy Cottonade Pants 10 Doz. Only, at, a Pair, \$1.00

Heavy Cottonade Pants in a quality that will give the best wear. They are well made and finished and have belt loops; sizes 32 to 42, on sale at, a pair..... **\$1.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

## Men's Sweaters, Shirts and Socks, All British Made, at Sale Prices

Men's Heavy Rope Knit All-Wool Sweater Coats, made with shawl collar and two pockets; a comfortable coat for driving or country wear. All sizes at..... **\$7.85**

Men's British-Made Union Flannel Shirts, with sateen neckband and band cuffs, patterned in fancy stripes; medium or light colors; shirts made coat style or with closed skirts. A snap at, each..... **\$3.15**

Fancy, Colored Cashmere Socks (British made), all-wool, and shown in shades of grey, blood red, purple, dark green and black. On sale at, a pair..... **95c**

British-Made Heavy Ribbed All-Wool Socks, in Lovat mixtures. Extra special at, a pair..... **95c**

British-Made All-Wool Heavy Ribbed Socks, in heather shades. A superior grade and big value at, a pair, **75c**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## British-Made Doeskin Dress Gloves at \$2.00

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## English Art Serges

Ideal Heavy Draperies at Sale Prices

50-inch Art Serge in shades of blue, green, brown and red; former value \$2.95. Sale price, a yard... **\$1.95**

50-inch Art Serge, all-wool and extra heavy quality, in shades of green only; formerly \$3.95. Sale price, a yard..... **\$2.95**

70-inch Art Serge, in shades of red and green; former value \$4.50. Specially priced for sale at, a yard, **\$3.65**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor—Phone 1244

## Stair Carpet and Rugs of British Manufacture at Sale Prices

50 yards only of Velvet Pile Stair Carpet, in handsome, Oriental design; made in England. Sale price, a yard..... **\$3.25**

Velvet Rugs, made by Crossley's, the world renowned English manufacturers; 2 only Velvet Pile Rugs, size 9 ft. x 12 ft., formerly \$82.00. Sale price... **\$60.00**

2 only Velvet Pile Rugs, size 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in., formerly \$72.00. Sale price..... **\$50.00**

—Carpet, 2nd Floor—Phone 1244

## Genuine Scotch Madras Priced for the Sale

Madras, 31 inches wide, ecru border, in a large selection of designs; formerly 75c. Special sale price, a yard..... **45c**

Madras, 45 inches wide, in ecru. Values to \$1.15. Special at, a yard..... **75c**

Madras, 45 inches wide, in colors of green, brown, rose and blue; regular to \$2.35. Special price, a yard, **\$1.75**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor—Phone 1244

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Service11:30 a.m.  
Till 2 p.m.

## Sale of British Goods

## COMMENCES ON MONDAY

Afternoon  
Tea Service3 Till 5 p.m.  
Orchestra

Never in the history of merchandising have conditions called for more ability than during the past year. Our organization is ever ready with new ideas and new methods of store management, which helps to keep our store an interesting place for the buying public.

Our success with the Canadian Manufacturers' Sale led us to the European markets, with the object of planning a similar one for the early Fall season, provided that enough goods could be purchased at low enough prices.

Our customers will be pleased to know of our success. One of the largest merchants and manufacturers in England, Rylands & Co., is reported to have reduced their stock, which is valued at £3,000,000 sterling by £1,000,000 sterling. This is only one example of what has been going on in the United Kingdom for the past six months, and our representatives in England have taken advantage of these conditions, and the result will be shown by the extraordinary bargains which will be offered during the month of October.

Your co-operation with us in making the Canadian Manufacturers' Unloading Sale a success has given us confidence in making these large preparations for Fall, and we again ask you to assist us in our latest endeavor in placing new Fall goods before you at the lowest possible prices.

## CONDITIONS IN CANADA

Manufacturing Conditions in Canada Are Improving

We lately have had wires from many of the leading manufacturers cancelling their prices of today on account of the advance in raw materials and a greater demand for goods.

We have, however, on account of conditions in England been able to purchase clothing at prices that will astonish you. This has been made possible only by Canadian manufacturers purchasing serges and woollens at very low prices in England and manufacturing them in Canada.

NOTICE—This Sale will commence on Monday, October 3rd, and will continue during the entire month

## Great Stocks of English, Scotch and Irish-Made Goods, Renowned Everywhere for Their Wearing Qualities, Bought Below Present-Day Cost Prices for Cash

These goods are all of dependable qualities, and you should see them to realize their true value. Now is the time to buy cotton goods. The linen and cotton markets are advancing in price quotations. Raw cotton has gone from \$12.00 to \$19.00 a bale in three weeks. \$50,000 worth of staple and linen stocks bought and delivered in one month provides an enormous choice in addition to our regular stocks.

## English Cotton Sheetings—Best Quality

72-inch, plain, usual price \$1.25, sale price, a yard.....75c  
80-inch, plain, usual price \$1.40, sale price, a yard.....85c  
72-inch, plain, usual price \$1.40, sale price, a yard.....85c  
80-inch, plain, usual price \$1.60, sale price, a yard.....\$1.00

## Horrockses' Sheetings

72-inch, plain, usual price \$1.50, sale price, a yard.....\$1.00  
80-inch, plain, usual price \$1.75, sale price, a yard.....\$1.15

## Horrockses' Pillow Tubing

40-inch, plain, usual price \$1.25, sale price, a yard.....80c  
42-inch, plain, usual price \$1.35, sale price, a yard.....85c  
45-inch, plain, usual price \$1.50, sale price, a yard.....90c

## Bolton Twill Sheetung Unbleached

72-inch, usual price \$1.25, on sale at, a yard.....79c  
80-inch, usual price \$1.40, on sale at, a yard.....89c

## Irish Pure Linen Sheetung

72-inch, usual price \$7.50, on sale at, a yard.....\$4.95  
90-inch, usual price \$9.75, on sale at, a yard.....\$6.75

## Irish Union Linen Sheetung

72-inch, usual price \$4.75, on sale at, a yard.....\$3.25  
90-inch, usual price \$5.75, on sale at, a yard.....\$4.00

## Irish Pure Pillow Tubing

45-inch, usual price \$5.00, on sale at, a yard.....\$3.75  
All Sheetings and Pillow Cases Hemmed Free of Charge

## English Cotton Sheets, Hemmed Ready for Use

72 x 90-inch, usual price \$6.25, sale price, a pair.....\$3.75  
80 x 90-inch, usual price \$7.00, sale price, a pair.....\$4.25  
72 x 100-inch, usual price \$7.00, sale price, a pair.....\$4.25  
80 x 90-inch, usual price \$8.00, sale price, a pair.....\$5.00

## Reliable Qualities at a Lower Price

72 x 90-inch, usual price \$3.75, sale price, a pair.....\$2.65  
80 x 90-inch, usual price \$4.25, sale price, a pair.....\$3.25  
90 x 100-inch, usual price \$4.75, sale price, a pair.....\$4.15  
63 x 90-inch, usual price \$5.00, sale price, a pair.....\$3.75  
72 x 90-inch, usual price \$5.75, sale price, a pair.....\$4.25  
80 x 90-inch, usual price \$6.25, sale price, a pair.....\$4.75  
90 x 100-inch, usual price \$7.70, sale price, a pair.....\$6.00

## Stout Quality Hemstitched Sheets

72 x 90-inch, usual price \$6.50, sale price, a pair.....\$4.50  
80 x 90-inch, usual price \$7.50, sale price, a pair.....\$5.00  
72 x 90-inch, usual price \$7.50, sale price, a pair.....\$5.50  
80 x 100-inch, usual price \$8.75, sale price, a pair.....\$6.75  
90 x 108-inch, usual price \$10.75, sale price, a pair.....\$8.50

## Pillow Slips Ready for Use—The Best English and Irish Makes

40 x 33-inches, usual price 75c, sale price, each.....55c  
42 x 33 inches, usual price 75c, sale price, each.....60c  
45 x 33 inches, usual price 85c, sale price, each.....65c  
44 x 36 inches, usual price \$1.50, sale price, each.....\$1.00  
45 x 36 inches, usual price \$1.75, sale price, each.....\$1.25

## White and Colored Turkish Towels

Size 17 x 36, usual price 40c, sale price, each.....29c  
Size 17 x 36, usual price 65c, sale price, each.....39c  
Size 21 x 40, usual price 85c, sale price, each.....59c  
Size 22 x 45, usual price \$1.00, sale price, each.....79c  
Size 24 x 46, usual price \$1.50, sale price, each.....98c  
Size 24 x 40, usual price \$1.75, sale price, each.....\$1.19

## Bath Sheets

Size 32 x 60, usual price \$4.00, sale price.....\$2.50  
Size 48 x 70, usual price \$5.00, sale price.....\$3.25

## Colored Bordered Turkish Towels

Size 22 x 44, usual price \$1.75, \$2.25, sale price.....\$1.19

## Colored Stripe Terry Toweling

16-inch, usual price 40c, on sale at, a yard.....25c  
17-inch, usual price 55c, sale price, a yard.....29c  
17-inch, usual price 65c, sale price, a yard.....39c  
18-inch, usual price 75c, sale price, a yard.....49c  
17-inch, usual price 85c, sale price, a yard.....60c

## White Terry Toweling at Half Price

15-inch, usual price 40c, sale price, a yard.....19c  
16-inch, usual price 60c, sale price, a yard.....29c  
16-inch, usual price 75c sale price, a yard.....39c  
—Staple Dept., Main Floor—Phone 2950

## Our Prices on Linen Goods Are the Lowest for Many Years

## And All Householders Short of Linen Should Buy Now

Irish Huckaback, 18-inch, regular 40c, sale price.....29c  
Irish Huckaback, 20-inch, usual price 45c, sale price.....34c  
Irish Huckaback, 16-inch, usual price 55c, sale price.....40c  
Irish Huckaback, 18-inch, usual price 60c, sale price.....45c  
Irish Huckaback, 20-inch, usual price 70c, sale price.....55c  
Irish Huckaback, 24-inch, usual price 70c, sale price.....50c  
Irish Huckaback, 22-inch, usual price 85c, sale price.....60c  
Irish Huckaback, 20-inch, usual price 70c, sale price.....50c  
Irish Huckaback, 22-inch, usual price \$1.00, sale price.....75c  
Irish Huckaback, 25-inch, usual price \$1.25, sale price.....85c  
Irish Huckaback, 20-inch, extra fine, regular \$1.50, on sale at.....95c  
Irish Tea Toweling, 24-inch, usual price 75c, sale price.....55c  
Irish Tea Toweling, 25-inch, usual price \$1.00, sale price.....75c  
Irish Crash Toweling, 16-inch, usual price 30c, sale price.....19c  
Irish Crash Toweling, 20-inch, usual price 35c, sale price.....22c  
Irish Crash Toweling, 16-inch, usual price 40c, sale price.....29c  
Irish Crash Toweling, 16-inch, usual price 50c, sale price.....35c

## Irish Huckaback Towels, Priced Greatly to the Advantage of All Housekeepers

Irish Huckaback Towels, 18 x 34-inch, usual price 60c, sale price.....39c  
Irish Huckaback Hemstitched Towels, 18 x 36, usual price 70c, on sale at.....39c  
Irish Damask Hemstitched Towels, 20 x 40, usual price \$1.25, on sale at.....69c  
Irish Damask Hemstitched Towels, 20 x 36, usual price \$1.50, on sale at.....98c  
Irish Huckaback Guest Towels, 16 x 24, usual price \$1.25, on sale, \$1.00  
Scotch Apron Dowlais, 44-inch, usual price 60c, sale price.....39c  
Scotch Apron Dowlais, 42-inch, usual price 70c, sale price.....50c  
Scotch Apron Dowlais, 42-inch, usual values 90c, sale price.....60c  
Scotch Apron Dowlais, 50-inch, usual price \$1.25, sale price.....95c  
A big purchase of British Government Linen, heavy grade, ideal for dish cloths, tea cloths, runners and squares; purest grade linen; 1,000 yards; regular values \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 a yard. All to go, in 4 1/4-yard lengths, at, a yard.....45c  
—Linen Dept., Main Floor

## Wonderful Values in Irish Damask Table Cloths and Napkins at Very Low Prices

## Table Cloths

Size 45 x 45, regular \$2.75, at.....\$1.50  
Size 54 x 54, regular \$3.75, at.....\$2.75  
Size 63 x 63, regular \$4.75, at.....\$3.50  
Size 72 x 72, regular \$5.50, at.....\$3.95  
Size 72 x 90, regular \$5.95, at.....\$4.65  
Size 66 x 83, regular \$4.75, at.....\$3.95  
Size 70 x 90, regular \$6.75, at.....\$4.95  
Size 72 x 72, regular \$8.75, at.....\$6.75

## Napkins

Size 20 x 20. Regular \$4.75, on sale at.....\$3.95  
22 x 22. Reg. \$8.75, on sale at \$5.75

## Napkins

Size 22 1/2 x 22 1/2. Regular \$8.75, on sale at.....\$6.75  
Size 22 1/2 x 22 1/2. Reg. \$10.50, on sale at.....\$7.50  
Linen Dept., Main Floor

## Irish Linen Damask Table Cloths in Choice Designs at a Big Saving in Price

Size 72 x 72, regular \$12.75, at.....\$6.75  
Size 72 x 72, regular \$8.75, at.....\$5.75  
Size 72 x 72, regular \$12.75, at.....\$8.75  
Size 72 x 90, regular \$11.50, at.....\$7.50  
Size 72 x 90, regular \$12.50, at.....\$8.25  
Size 72 x 108, regular \$14.00, at.....\$8.95  
Size 82 x 108, regular \$15.50, at.....\$9.75

## Bleached Table Damask in Various Widths—Many Designs to Select From

60-inch Damask, 3 designs, usual price \$1.75, sale price.....\$1.25  
70-inch Damask, 3 designs, usual price \$2.50, sale price.....\$1.98  
68-inch Damask, 1 design, usual price \$2.25, sale price.....\$1.79  
72-inch Damask, 3 designs, usual price \$3.50, sale price.....\$2.50  
Unbleached Loom Damask, 60-inch, in two designs; regular price \$1.85, on sale at.....\$1.39  
—Linen Dept., Staple, Main Floor

## Unprecedented Values in Flannelettes and Flannel All From the Best English and Scotch Mills

33-inch, English Stripe Flannelettes, regular 50c, sale price.....28c  
33-inch, Horrockses Stripe Flannelettes, regular 60c, sale price.....40c  
35-inch, Scotch Double Warp Stripe Flannelettes, regular 85c, sale price.....59c  
34-inch English White Flannelette, usual price 50c, sale price.....33c  
33-inch Horrockses White Flannelette, usual price 60c, sale price.....40c  
28-inch Scotch Grey Army Flannel, regular \$1.00, at.....49c  
28-inch Scotch Grey Army Flannel, all-wool, regular \$1.75, sale price, at.....\$1.29  
31-inch Scotch Unshrinkable Stripe Flannels, regular \$1.50, sale price, at.....79c  
40-inch English Ripple Cloth, in shades of sage, pink, sky and white; usual price \$1.25, sale price.....75c  
35-inch Scotch Winsey, cream only, regular \$1.25, on sale at.....79c  
31-inch Scotch Shirtings, 4 stripes, regular \$1.00, on sale at.....49c  
—Staple Dept., Main Floor

## All Pure Wool English Blankets, Made From Long Staple Yarns of Fine Fleecy Weave

7 lbs., size 64 x 84 inches, usual price \$15.75, sale price.....\$12.95  
8 lbs., size 72 x 90-inch, usual price \$18.00, sale price.....\$14.75

## Big Value in White All-Wool Blankets

7 lbs., size 64 x 84-inch, usual price \$12.75, sale price.....\$10.50

## Bedspreads—Remarkable Values

English Marcella, Satin Finish  
72 x 90 inches, good designs, regular \$7.75, sale price.....\$5.50  
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# A Page for the Children



## Wild Life on Vancouver Island

### THE RUBY-CROWNED KINGLET

WHEN the Autumn winds have stripped the last trembling leaves from off the twisted branches of the garden oak trees, and, intermingled with those of the maple, the leaves scurry along the ground, seeking some sheltered ravine or hollow where they may pass the Winter undisturbed, you will often hear the dainty whispered notes of that little woodland midget, "the ruby-crowned kinglet." He is seldom alone, and if you study the surrounding evergreens, you may be able to locate a flock of these tiny birds. Very likely it will be in the top of some lofty fir or pine tree, where the merry little picnickers have congregated. If they would only keep still long enough, you might be able to see the bright red spot on the crown of their heads, but a flock of feeding kinglets is never still, unless it is when one of them peers underneath a branch to see if he has missed some hidden insect. Even when quite close to the ground, the tiny birds fluttering in and out among the branches like a swarm of butterflies are so intent on their feeding that you may approach quite near; then is the time to study the little wanderers, for although some are permanent residents, others come and go with the seasons.

The ruby-crowned kinglet is a very small bird, being hardly more than an inch longer than the hummingbird. His general color is an olive tinted grey, which shades off into a lighter color on the under parts of the body. It looks as though Nature, feeling sorry for such an exquisite little bird being so plainly attired, has as a last resort placed a dash of vermilion on the crown of the male's head. As these birds often hang upside down in their diligent search for insects, the red mark, like most of Nature's well-placed colorings, shows off at a good advantage. The female, lacking the touch of vermilion, has one consolation anyway; she can always admire her husband's beauty spot—something he can never do.

The stillness of the Autumn woods, unbroken by the song of our Summer birds, slumbering peacefully beneath their coverlet of fallen leaves, we miss the dainty flowers, which saturated each passing breeze with their fragrance. On the swaying bushes the delicate pink of the wild rose is replaced by the bright red of numerous seed globes. Here and there a deserted nest appears in the half denuded trees—a reminder of the little feathered inhabitants, which helped to cheer the long Summer days with bursts of welcome song. The haughty fir and pine trees, unlike their more lowly neighbors, refuse to disrobe and still wear their Summer raiment—a cloak of a dark blueish-green color.

But unmindful of the many hidden beauties of Summer, a merry little band flits about

the tree tops overhead. These tiny bits of feathered life have very like journeyed from the far North, and if they will only appreciate the welcome we extend to them, they may pass the Winter with us. We would love to become better acquainted with these little kinglets, but they are so full of life and so busy exploring the trees, that we may know them quite well before we are favored with the sight of their crowning glory—the vermilion spot on the crown of their heads. These hardy little birds evidently enjoy the cold weather, for they often linger in the colder parts till the thermometer reaches zero. For their diminutive size, kinglets seem to have a very large appetite, for it is seldom that you see a flock that is not busily engaged in searching the shrubbery or tree tops for food. They are neither selfish nor quarrelsome, and may often be observed associating with chickadees, nuthatches and creepers, but when it comes to energy, the kinglet has all of his larger friends outdone, whether it be clinging to the bark of a tree like the creeper or imitating the acrobatic stunts of the chickadee.

If you have the good fortune to discover a flock of kinglets, you may have some little difficulty in determining which kind it is, for the ruby-crowned kinglet has a very close relative called the "golden-crowned kinglet." He is equally as lively, but a trifle smaller, and instead of the vermilion spot, the golden-crowned kinglet has a spot of bright orange on the crown of his head, and the fact that he is not quite such a lover of cold weather as his more hardy cousin, is about the greatest difference between the two. Their habits are the same, and although I have never seen a golden-crowned kinglet's nest in its natural surroundings, the one I saw in the hands of a collector resembled very much the nest of his ruby-crowned cousin which I have found in the more northern woods. Both nests were the same, rather large for the size of the birds, being made of moss, fine shreds of bark, and small rootlets and looking very much like an exaggerated hummingbird's nest. The ruby-crowned kinglet's nest which I had the good fortune to locate was in a spruce tree, about fourteen feet from the ground. The birds showed little fear, and allowed me to approach close enough to make the identity of the nest certain. Some say that the kinglets have a beautiful song which they often sing in their northern home. I have heard only their soft whispered conversations, but can easily believe that such exquisite little birds could sing if they would only half try. I often wish that these tiny rovers would change their habits and remain with us throughout the year. We would certainly appreciate their presence and gladly give them a life interest in the small space their tiny bodies might grace.

CLEMENT L. KAUFMAN.

### THE GREEDY SNAKE

Dear Editor,—Last Sunday my mother and father and my brother and myself went down to the falls in the Cowichan River. We rode part of the way in our rig and walked the rest. On the way down we saw a snake who had just eaten something big, because there was a big lump in his body. However, we went to the falls and ate our lunch and then we went up to see the falls (for we were below them). Well, they were wonderful. Some distance up stream there is an island. After this the water is calm for a stretch. Then there are some beautiful rapids; then there is a long fall into another pool, after which the water pours down through a narrow opening about three feet wide into a deep and narrow gorge, at the end of which is another riffle. Then there is a calm stretch as far as you can see.

Coming home, on looking for the snake, we found that it had burst, and that the thing it had swallowed (it was a frog) was lying on the ground. The snake was nearly dead, but not quite. (This is a good moral for people who eat too much.) I do hope you will publish this letter. It is quite true.

Yours very truly,  
BRIAN GREEN.  
Age 11 years.

Cowichan Lake School, September 24, 1921.

### Young Folk's Exhibition

THE boys and girls in Victoria had their part in the Fall Fair. On Wednesday and Saturday they helped to give life and joy to the crowds that thronged the buildings and grounds. Everyone loves to see happy young folks, even though they may feel that they cannot take part in their sports or join in their fun.

That Victoria children can work as well as play was shown by the school exhibit. The color works, drawing, designing, paper folding and cuttings were praised by draughtsmen and others who understand how such work should be done, as well as by the many whose sense of color and form were pleased by the work. Some older people wondered how little girls in the Second and Third Readers could be taught to make such pretty frocks, aprons and other little garments.

The nice cakes and delicious sweets cooked by the older girls looked very tempting, and the boys of the manual training classes showed by their exhibit that they are not only gaining skill, but ability to think and plan for themselves.

The Oaklands garden exhibit won the prize it deserved. It is pleasant to see that so many boys and girls are learning in the school gardens to take pleasure in one of the most delightful as well as useful occupations. Philip Eldridge, who is only thirteen years

old, made a handloom for the use of the good ladies, whose exhibit showed all corners that home-grown wool can be spun into very fine yarn and woven or knitted into warm, soft and beautiful materials and garments.

Contributors to our Flower Calendar were very much interested in the large and beautiful exhibit of pressed flowers sent in by F. Stretholt, of Duncan. There is no good reason why children should not next year exhibit an interesting and extensive collection.

The stuffed and mounted birds of the Province shown by Mrs. J. H. Staveloy, of Gordon Head, attracted much attention.

Wouldn't it be nice if some lover of birds offered a handsome prize for the largest number of photographs of wild birds and their nests? The shot of a camera hurts neither life nor limb of any bird, and the boy or girl, man or woman who studies the lovely and graceful creatures in their native haunts has a rare source of pleasure.

Now that you all have had time to think about this year's exhibition and to compare your own work with that of others, the editor hopes that each of you has resolved to make something better than you have made before. If you have, and if you carry out your resolution, you may be sure that the school exhibit next year will excel that of 1921, good as that was.

### SPECIAL MENTION

The S.P.C.A. Society made special mention at a committee meeting held recently of the story by D. Crompton, appearing in last Sunday's Colonist. It was felt that the writer of "Tabitha" deserved this mention as being evidently in sympathy with animals in distress.

This note was received too late for insertion in last Sunday's issue.—Editor.

### Billy's Bargain

By Amy Whipple

IT was a fine October afternoon. Old Ezra Flint was in his orchard picking apples. It had been a good season for apples and prices were high, too.

"Mr. Flint—Mr. Flint!" piped a voice from the gate.

Ezra turned sharply, and glared at a small boy who was peering through the bars.

"Oh, 'tis you, Billy Rudd—what do 'ee want?" asked Ezra sourly.

"'Tis 'Thanksgivin' at the church next Sunday," answered Billy, "did you know? The preacher said we all ought to give somethin'—our best, he said."

"An' what do 'ee think of givin' yourself?" asked the old man, with a twinkle in his eye.

"I dunno—I asked Granny, an' she said we hadn't got nothin' worth givin'." You see, we hadn't got no garden," explained Billy, "only

a bit at the back where Granny dries the clo'es."

"Well, I don't say but what I may send up a foo 'Pearmain'—'tis a showy apple, an' they wouldn't keep much longer, anyway," said Ezra.

"Are they your best, Mr. Flint?" asked Billy.

"No, they ain't," snapped Ezra.

"I reckon they beatties are your best apples," persisted Billy, pointing to the tree that was Ezra's pride.

"Ees," answered the old man; "they're grand! Couldn't beat 'em in the parish. I'm pickin' 'em in today."

"I should give some of them to the 'Thanksgivin' if they was mine," said Billy firmly. "That's a stunner," he cried out, as Ezra picked a splendid apple and held it up so that the sun should shine on its beautiful glossy surface of gold, flushed with rosy crimson.

"Now look here, sonny," said the old man suddenly, "I'll make a bargain with 'ee. You take that apple home an' put it somewhere where you can cast your eye 'pon it time an' again for the rest of the week, an' if you can bring 'im to me on Saturday mornin' safe an' sound—I shall know 'im again, mind—I'll add a dozen to it. Well?"

"I'll do it, Mr. Flint—see if I don't!" cried Billy, and home he scampered with the big apple, to tell Granny all about it, and to find a good place for it and out of the reach of little sister Hetty, but still well within view.

"We'll put it up on the top of the press, laddie—you can see it there, an' it'll be safe," said Granny, with a glance towards little Hetty, who had dropped her dolly to stare at the apple with round blue eyes.

"Who's the boo'ful apple for?" she asked.

"For the Lord," answered Granny solemnly.

"He'd raver a life girl had it. He's got lots an' lots," said Hetty.

"Little girls must never want apples that don't belong to 'em," reproved Granny. "Go an' play with your dolly, like a good little maid."

Often during those days of trial Billy found himself longing for a bite of that sweet, juicy apple, but being a small boy with a big spirit, he did battle with himself and won.

Little sister Hetty eyed the apple, too, and the more she looked the more she longed for it. The week came to an end at last, and Saturday morning came. Billy, full of triumph, ran upstairs to put on his shabby little best suit, before calling on Ezra Flint to clinch his bargain, and go with the old man to offer their gift to the ladies at the church.

Whistling gaily, Billy ran downstairs, crossed the kitchen on tiptoe to reach for the apple—it was gone! He rushed out into the garden; he could see no one, but he caught a glimpse of a pink cotton frock round the corner by the pump. Running to the spot, he was just in time to see Hetty hastily swallow the last morsel of the big apple.

Billy clutched her by her little fat shoulder and shook her roughly.

"You greedy, thiev' little maid!" he cried. "You've spoiled everythin'; how did you get it?"

"Don't tell Gwanny—she'll spank me," sobbed Hetty. "She was cleanin' the windar, an' she left the lile steps, an' I climbed up—"

"I won't tell—but I'll—I'll never love you any more," declared Billy, walking off with his head in the air.

Before he had reached Ezra Flint's garden gate Billy had made up his mind not to tell over Hetty—she was only a little maid and didn't know much, besides, he really did love her all the while.

"Well," said Ezra, "I'm ready if you are."

"I ain't ready at all. I couldn't bring it," stammered Billy.

"Ate it, did 'ee? I reckoned you would—but there, I hoped you wouldn't," muttered the old man to himself. "Never mind, boy," he said aloud. "I've saved my apples, anyway. Now I'll change my clo'es an' go an' dig tatoes'll pay me better."

Billy turned away without speaking, and trudged homeward with no heart for work or play.

"I'd rather I'd lost they apples—blest if I wouldn't!" grumbled Ezra Flint to himself as he plied his biddick in his potato patch. "Ehl what's that?" he cried, pausing in the act of dealing another stroke, and glancing quickly round.

He saw a little girl with a mop of sunny curls, a tear-stained face and frightened eyes looking up into his.

"Well, what do you want, my little maid?" he asked in a softer tone than usual.

"Are you the gen'leman that made my Billy c'y?" she asked.

"I ain't a gen'leman exactly—an' if your Billy is cryin', serve him right; he's a greedy young rascal."

"Billy ain't gweedy—he ain't! 'Twas me that was gweedy—awful gweedy an' thiev'—but it hurt drefful to see it up there."

"Ah," said the old man, looking down into the tearful blue eyes. "I reckon it did—more than I thought, maybe. Look here, little maid, you got an' find that brooker of yours—tell him he's a brick, an' that I shall be ready for 'im; if he hurries up, we shall be in time with the apples, after all."—Children's Friend.

### Caught

FRED awoke with a start and listened intently.

The stillness of the night was broken by the hooting of a solitary owl.

"I suppose I must have been dreaming, but I felt sure I heard somebody try the door," he said, half aloud, as he rolled over in bed.

Fred Garton was alone in the house, for his mother had left that day to go to Scotland, and his father had gone with her to Wayland Junction to see her off. The junction was quite fifteen miles away, and as his car was at the

## Some of Our Wild Flowers and Plants Suitable for Cultivation

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IN my first article on this subject which appeared in print on September 18, and in which I spoke of some of our ferns, I forgot the one which is called in some books *Aspidium* and in others *Dryopteris spinulosa dilatata*, commonly the Spinulose Shield Fern, and which I have always called Broad Fern. This seems to be very close to *Lastrea dilatata*, which used to be the name of the Broad Buckler Fern in the Old Country. This is my favorite of all the larger ferns, and the young plants are exquisitely graceful. It is quite common in shady, open woods on rotten stumps and windfalls, and is easily transplanted if plenty of the stuff it is rooted in is taken, and it can be moved safely in full growth. It is not evergreen, but looks well quite late in the year. Our species, or variety, is even more beautiful than the English one, because the general shape of the fronds is triangular, and the lower pinnae are much broader than the next pair; in fact, the general outline of the fronds is often almost an equilateral triangle. Although it grows largest in shady places, it will stand very well in the sun, and the smaller it grows the more beautiful and graceful it is, and it is attractive from its first start if grown to full leafage.

To proceed with the bulbs—I forgot to mention that the Yellow Easter Lily is quite as easy to grow as the large white and pink one, but they are not at all effective if mixed. At the foot of the rockery the large white ones, planted on flat-buried rocks and the pink ones on the shady side in rich, sandy soil and the yellow ones up on the rockery in crevices. The yellow ones flower much earlier down near the coast than they do in their native habitat up in the mountains.

Fritillaries of both species (commonly called Mission Bells) are very pretty; the large one (*Kamtschatsensis*), with the large white Easter Lily at the foot of the rockery and the small one (*F. lanceolata*) up amongst the rocks. These flowers have an unpleasant smell, and are not very nice to bring into a small room.

Our only Liliium, which is called *Parviflorum* or Wild Tiger Lily, is easy to move and grow in the garden, and should be planted in mosses in the perennial border. At its largest it grows three feet or more.

There is a larger one on the Mainland which has one to three flowers on each stem, and is very nice to have, called *Liliium Mon-*

repaire's, and the train service was bad, Mr. Garton was staying the night at Wayland.

Try as he would, sleep would not come to Fred.

Creak! Creak! "What was that?" he exclaimed, sitting up in bed.

Creak! Creak! Again the sound came from below—the noise of a door being gently forced open.

Fred remained quite still for a few moments, thinking hard what to do; then he jumped out of bed and felt on the dressing-table for his electric torch. As he did so his hand fell on a book, and it gave him an idea.

Footsteps could now be heard below.

"Apparently he knows I am alone," mused Fred. "Now for a little surprise for Mr. Bur-

glar." Creeping out on tip-toe, he arrived at the landing as the intruder was crossing the hall.

There was a flash and a terrific bang!

The intruder did not wait for a second shot, but dived through the door and out into the night.

"That has settled your little game!" laughed Fred.

He went downstairs and peered cautiously out of the door.

Not a soul could he see; the place seemed strangely quiet and deserted. Fred closed the door and turned to go to his room, shaking with nervous excitement. He was half-way up when a stern command of "Hands up!" caused him to stumble, fall, and roll over in a heap to the foot of the stairs.

Hours seemed to have passed when a light flashed full in his face, and—"Fred! Are you hurt?" called a familiar voice.

He quickly pulled himself together.

"No; I am all right, Dad. But how did you get in here?" he asked, as he rose to his feet.

"The car was ready, so I altered my plans," said Mr. Garton. "But I was received with a revolver shot, so I ran to the back of the house to attack the fellow from the rear."

He was stopped by a roar of laughter from Fred.

"I took you for a burglar!" he cried. "And as for the revolver, here is its flash"—indicating his flash lamp—"and the noise I made by banging a book against the wall."

"And a good imitation, too!" said his father, when he had recovered from his astonishment.—Children's Newspaper.

### CHARACTER

The sun set, but set not his hope: Stars rose; his faith was earlier up: Fixed on the enormous galaxy, Deeper and older seemed his eye; And matched his suffrance sublime.

The taciturnity of time. He spoke, and words more soft than rain Brought the Age of Gold again: His action won such reverence sweet As hid all measure of the feat.

—Emerson.

tanum, the Mountain Lily. It does not grow so tall as our local Wild Tiger Lily, but the flowers are larger, and in cultivation it produces two and three flowers on one stalk, but wild it is generally single flowered. Lilies must be marked when in flower and dug when the ground is rain-soaked.

*Maianthemum*, the Wild Lily of the Valley, which is common in shady thickets, can be easily transplanted in the late Fall, and is very pretty under shrubs.

*Smilacina racemosa*, the False Solomon's Seal, or False Spikenard, makes a good show of foliage, and has lovely sweet flower panicles on the end of the stalk above the foliage. It can be easily transplanted in the Fall and makes an attractive filler between shrubs or in corners. This is called *S. amplexicaulis* and *S. brachypetala*.

*Smilacina Stellata* (star-flowered) is also very effective in rich, damp soil. It is generally found on the banks of streams. *Tofieldia*, or False Asphodel, grows in sandy gravel on the banks of streams and in the beds and on the bars of streams which go dry in Summer. It will grow in the very poorest soil if it is stony and light, and is easy to transplant in the late Fall after the rain has begun.

*Trillium* (Wake Robin), or Wood Lily, I mentioned before, but it is so good and easy to transplant I need not apologize for referring to it again. A clump of six to twelve of these in the border is always a "thing of beauty."

*Sisyrinchium*, or Blue-eyed Grass, closely allied to the Irises, has one very beautiful species which is called *Grandiflorum*. This very pretty little flower should be marked when in flower and moved in the late Summer or Fall. There are still plenty near Victoria, but they are growing less every year. "It is one of the first flowers to appear in the Spring, and some people call it Wild Crocus, but it is much more like a Snowdrop in form than a Crocus. It is easy to get, and grows best in rich soil on and between rocks, and if planted on the top of Hookera (Brodiaea) bulbs and with *Fritillaria* and *Curly Lily* (Easter Lily) bulbs, helps to keep up a succession, and the more they are massed the better they look. Everyone should have these. In early Spring a pan or dish or saucer of these and the small pink *Orchis Calypso* is a thing of beauty not easy to beat. If these are grown in the house in January they will flower in early March and make a most beautiful table decoration planted in moss.

WALTER HARVEY.

### NEW ANTI-FRICTION METAL

There are many special alloys for the purpose of lining the bearings of machinery so as to reduce the friction to a minimum. The objection to most of these is that if from any cause they should become too hot, the metal melts and runs out. This drawback is avoided in a new metal which has been tested in Great Britain with very satisfactory results. In these tests the metal became very hot without showing any signs of melting, and when forced lubrication was used the bearings showed no sign or wear or flow, even with a load of over 1,000 pounds per square inch.

### Tit-Bits of Information

The largest Bible in existence is in the royal library at Stockholm, Sweden. The covers are made of solid planks, four inches thick, and the pages measure a yard in length. It is estimated that one hundred asses' skins must have been used to furnish the three hundred parchment leaves of this colossal book. It is considered priceless.

John Wesley, the great religious teacher and founder of Methodism, was born at Epworth, in Lincolnshire in 1703, and died in London in his 88th year.

William Shakespeare, the greatest of English poets, was born at Stratford-on-Avon, in Warwickshire, in April, 1564.

"The annual loss in Canada to field, orchard and garden crops, due to destructive insects, is, on a conservative estimate, upwards of \$200,000,000. To this huge devastation must be added the enormous annual destruction caused by forest insects, stored produce insects, etc. It is certain that these losses would be much greater if it were not for our insectivorous birds."—Arthur Gibson, Dominion Entomologist, in *Agricultural Gazette*.

Richard Cromwell, the son of Oliver Cromwell, Lord Protector of England, resigned the office he inherited from his father and lived a quiet life till his 86th year. He died in 1712, in the reign of Queen Anne.

The city of Dijon, in France, has lately erected a beautiful statue to the memory of Bossuet, a great, wise and good man who, though he died more than two hundred years ago, is still remembered by his countrymen with love and gratitude.

Constantine the Great was the first Roman emperor to become a Christian. He founded Constantinople in 330 A.D. and died in 337.

A number of scientists from Oxford University are spending the Summer on the islands of Spitzbergen. They are making a study of certain rare birds, of the tides and currents, and of some sea creatures who make their home in this Far Northern group.





# Suburb and Country

Agriculture is a first principle: on it rests the life and happiness of mankind. — Julia A. Dinck



## Bulbs for the Spring Garden

**W**HETHER we wish it or not we are much influenced by what we see, and in some ways there is no greater hindrance to the development of beautiful garden arrangement than the familiarity with the ornamental grounds of our parks and public buildings. Those who admire large beds cut in the turf and filled with bedding plants, the clipped shrubs and trees which decorate our public grounds, ought to be able to see that the good effect is gained through its relation to the public nature of the grounds, and it is no argument whatever for endeavoring to carry out on an inch to the foot scale the same arrangement in one's own front garden. Good architects have repeatedly urged in regard to houses that the small house has no business to be an imitation in miniature of the great mansion, but must be built on lines fulfilling the individual needs of the people that will occupy the house, and no private garden should be designed to imitate the big public gardens which, from the very fact of their being public, can give no example whatever to the plot whose chief charm it is that it is private.

Possibly no class of flowers have been more chained to the formal arrangement than the Spring bulbs. Their manner-of-growth, it is true, does suggest something of formality, and it is, as well, so fatally easy to prepare a bed and put the bulbs in so many inches apart in the sure and certain knowledge that in due time there will be a patch of color there. Some of the more advanced will perhaps edge the bed round with arabis or distribute forget-me-nots over it, which, however, keeps the formality of its nature unimpaired. It is perfectly true that a well-thought-out formal arrangement can be beautiful, and we will come to that point in a few minutes, but just now we want to clear away the arrangement that is mechanical and the result of no particular thought or love, but is merely an imitation of what has been seen somewhere else under totally different conditions.

In the first place, it cannot be too strongly urged that a mass of one sort is vastly more effective than a mixed lot. Daffodils or narcissus may form an exception since their color is fairly uniform, though even so it is better to keep the trumpets and the cups separate, but mixed colors in hyacinths and tulips can never effect beauty, though especially with the tulips an ash gazer may be gained which will "bid the rash gazer wipe his eye," but that cannot be considered a desirable result in a garden. Then the bulbous rooted flowers usually require some sort of foliage from herbaceous plants to set off their clear-cut form, therefore it is much better to group them with other Spring flowers such as alyssum, aubretia, forget-me-nots, polyanthus or the like, than to keep them apart in beds by themselves. In fact, it is doubtful if anything more beautiful can be achieved than a border massed with the low-growing herbaceous plants above which the bulbous flowers rise triumphantly, enriching

the whole effect with their distinctive form and color. By this method several sorts and colors may be used, not singly, but in groups, and each group isolated from the others by the other planting. Such a border, for instance, might begin at the edge with single white arabis, which begins to bloom earlier than the double, aubretia, and yellow bunched primroses or polyanthus. These should be planted in long shaped groups, part of which would run in a slanting direction back into the border, the rest coming forward to form the edging. Such a way of planting takes off all stiffness of effect such as planting in a straight line along the edge often gives. Moreover, it permits one group to "melt" into the other so that mauve and white and yellow mingle without any distinct point of union. This planting should take up an irregular space from a foot to two feet wide, and then could come the bulbs, taking care in this border to eliminate pure reds, which will at once set up a discord with the purple aubretia that will be felt all over the garden. Behind the bulbs wallflowers and doricums will make a good background, and these must be brought forward at intervals to mingle with the tulips, etc., as the lower herbaceous plants do from the front.

This is the "natural" method of planting, and requires thought and care before real success can be attained in harmony of color and arrangement, but when once gained, many regard it as the highest type of garden beauty. But where the garden is small, it is often most effective to turn it into a little garden court with formal beds and paved walks. Such a treatment is often better than an attempt at "landscape" design where no features of a landscape exist. In such a garden court it must be remembered that the whole effect of the space must be considered. This was overlooked in a formal garden belonging to a large establishment, a part being reserved for later flowers, with the consequence that the pattern of the garden was completely spoiled. In the formal garden there may be periods between seasons when comparatively little color is to be seen, but when the particular season of bloom is on, it must be seen in every portion of the design. It is therefore necessary to know what plants will flower at the same time so as to secure this unity of effect. This may be a difficulty to the novice as regards Summer flowers, but the Spring flowers will be more easy to classify, though even then there are those that appear early and others that come late in the Spring. Snowdrops, chionodoxas, Winter aconite, Duc van Thol tulips, Scilla sibirica, praeox, hyacinths, crocuses and some kinds of daffodils, primroses, the single arabis, and some wallflowers come early "and take the winds of March with beauty," while violas, forget-me-nots, most of the tulips, double arabis and other bedding plants come later, and if the formal garden is to look its best throughout the season, some of both the early and the late must be represented in all parts.

## Edible and Poisonous Fungi

**T**HERE is a widespread lack of knowledge among the general public concerning the edibility of so many of the common mushrooms growing, except in the very dry weather, in the fields, woods or in our gardens and lawns.

The common idea of fungi is that the one grown commercially, and which is also found in fields and pastures, is a mushroom and all others are "toadstools," and therefore poisonous. The terms "toadstool" and "mushroom" are synonymous, and mushrooms are classified either as "edible" or as "poisonous." Fortunately among the hundreds of varieties of mushrooms there are not more than four or five poisonous varieties, but as some of the latter resemble somewhat an edible variety, there is danger in mistaking one for the other. All the so-called "tests," whereby one may ascertain whether a mushroom is edible or not, are absolutely worthless, and may be classed as old wives' fables. The only way to know the properties of fungi is by asking someone who is familiar with them, or by studying them one by one as one would take up the study of birds, for instance. Unfortunately popular works on fungi are not common, but several reliable works are available to the student who wishes to acquaint himself with the subject, as for instance:

"One Thousand American Fungi," by McIlvaine, Bobbs, Merrill Co. "Mushrooms, Edible and Otherwise," by Hard, Ohio Library Co. "Mushrooms," by Atkinson, Henry Holt & Co. "The Agaricaceae of Michigan," by C. H. Kaufmann, Wynkoop, Hallenbeck, Crawford Co.

Practically no mushrooms are to be found during very dry weather, but two of the deadly varieties are likely to be met with after rains—the fly agaric (*Amanita muscaria*) and the Death Cup (*Amanita phalloides*). The first of these is a very conspicuous mushroom, not resembling any other variety in the whole range of mushrooms. The cap is large, from 4-6 inches, rounded at first, then nearly plane, surface when fresh, slightly viscid. Its color is subject to great variations, ranging from orange-red to yellow or almost white, the yellow color being more common. The margin of the cap in mature plants is marked with radiating lines or markings. The surface is covered with thick, angular, persistent scales, usually white. These scales are often yellowish and easily removed, flesh white. The gills are free, but reaching the stem. Color white, rarely becoming yellow. Stem 4-8 inches long, shining white or pale yellowish, becoming hollow, enlarged at the base into a conspicuous bulb, marked, prominent,

concentric, irregular rings. There is a ring or collar on the stem; very soft, large, white. The fly *Amanita* is easily identified on account of its scaly cap, brilliantly colored; large ring and bulbous, ringed base. It occurs along roadsides, wood margins and open woods, generally from June till frost.

The other deadly plant, *Amanita phalloides*, or Death Cup, is 3-4 inches broad, commonly shining white or yellowish, but may be grey or brown, olive to umber. It is viscid when moist; smooth, oval and finally extended; the margin is even, not marked, flesh white, not objectionable to taste; gills free from the stem, largest at the middle, white. The stem is 3-5 inches long, generally hollow, white. The base of the stem is inserted in a semi-free, white, cup-shaped covering called a volva. It is of common occurrence from July to October in woods, groves and along borders of woods. It resembles somewhat the common field mushroom, but a slight examination will disclose in the field mushroom the dark colored gills and the absence of the cup at the base of the stem. *A. phalloides* is the most dangerous of all fungi, and is responsible for most of the deaths resulting from eating mushrooms. Ten to fifteen hours may elapse before symptoms of poisoning may appear. No antidote has been found by which the effects of the poison may be counteracted. A safe rule is to avoid eating all mushrooms having white gills, a ring on the stem and a volva at the base of stem combined in the same plant.

## Catalpas in London

**T**HOUGH all the members of the genus are aliens, Catalpas are familiar enough to Englishmen, says The London Times, and probably more so to the Londoner with an eye for trees than to the average countryman; there are numerous specimens in the metropolis, where the Catalpa is found in situations and under conditions which could not be considered congenial to a tree hailing from North America. The species most often employed for town planting is Catalpa bignonioides, a tree endowed with drought-resisting qualities of a high order, which this year have been, and as far as London is concerned still are being, put to a test of almost unexampled severity.

Though, on the whole, the trees of London have come out of the severe trial of the last two months remarkably well, none has shown less distress than the Catalpa. The fact that these trees from the Southern United States not only exist but thrive in the gas-permeated soil of London, furnishes something of a puzzle to the arboriculturist; it would be of interest to know what the ecologist makes of it, and how he accounts for the fact that the Catalpas

in the heart of the metropolis—those in Old Palace Yard are a standing example—are as serene and green of leaf now as they were in June, while similar trees at Kew Gardens are already in the sere and yellow of their annual life cycle.

Catalpas cannot be depended upon to flower every year; a hot season is needed to ripen the wood, and the probability is that unless next Summer is inclement, there will then be such a display of the pyramids of cream-colored flowers as has not been seen for many years. It is only in a genial season, too, that the flowers are followed by the peculiar long-podded seed vessels, from which the species generally seen in London derives its name of Indian Bean.

As a rule, in this country, the Catalpas do not attain any great height, nor, as trees go, are they usually long lived, since they generally run their course within the span allotted to man; but none the less their power of resisting extremes of heat and cold, their fine foliage, and pleasant unobtrusive character, to say nothing of their beauty when in flower, make them most desirable trees. The fact, too, that the Catalpa is in no hurry to open its leaves, and so escapes the crippling effect of late frosts, is much in its favor.

The family is a small one, and till within recent years has been represented by *C. bignonioides*, already mentioned, and its cousin, *C. speciosa*, both North American species, and both fine trees. *C. ovata*, commonly called Kaempferi, hails from China, as does *C. Bungei*, a tree of less spreading habit than *C. ovata*. Of late years two or three more species have come to us from China with a fair reputation. They have still to prove their worth, and, what is more important, to survive a hard Winter. But they promise well, and *C. Duclouxii* in particular, for the flowers in the wild species are rose colored.

## Trees for Improving the Farm Grounds

**T**HE aspect of a farming locality will depend for its attractiveness to a great extent upon the appearance of the farmhouses and their surroundings. Where the farmsteads are neat and well-kept the whole district is benefited. People visiting the district are impressed with its desirability for home-making, and real estate values are good in consequence. Even more important is the effect upon the residents of the district for everyone, consciously or not, feels better for seeing a pretty and prosperous-looking home.

No place can look homelike without the aid of trees. A few trees near a house make it look as though it belonged to the place, and if so placed as to afford shade in Summer and a windbreak from the cold winds of Spring, they will pay for themselves many times over in increased comfort for the inmates of the house and in the protection afforded to tender things that may be planted on their lee side. On the prairie it has long been demonstrated that a row of trees will make the temperature more genial for a considerable distance on the lee side and in this southern portion of Vancouver Island, where cold winds are prevalent in Spring, windbreaks should be planted more extensively than they are.

Just at present the price of nursery stock is admittedly high. Yet, a few trees planted this Autumn will be well established by next year, and in a year or two more will make their presence felt in the landscape. It is not necessary, either, to have purely ornamental trees. We ought to get away from the silly snobbish idea that a useful thing cannot be ornamental. Apples and cherries and pears are ornamental enough for any country dwelling. Possibly the one drawback is that if they are pruned as much as they should be for fruit-bearing they will be much slower in attaining a good size for shade and protection. To remove this objection a few trees could be left unpruned where most needed, or the orchard trees could be used where small trees are wanted and a few maples, elms or poplars planted for the larger growth. A handsome tree which will make a spreading growth is the so-called English walnut, and in time it will yield good crops of nuts.

To plant effectively, a few points must be observed. The trees should not be too close to the house so as to darken the windows or cause dampness in Winter. Evergreens are best kept at a considerable distance, as these decidedly add to the danger of damp, though where properly placed they certainly have the effect of cheerful snugness when other trees are denuded of leaves. Almost any house can be made to look attractive if a row of trees is planted behind so that in time the house will have a setting of trees rising beyond the roof. They may also be planted on either side of the house, or if the prevailing winds come from one side, the heaviest planting may be made there, with one or two trees planted on the other side to give what is called balance. If the strongest winds strike the front of the house, tall-growing shrubs of irregular height, planted ten or fifteen feet away, will mitigate the wind around the doorway, and the house roof will show up in a picturesque fashion above them.

Trees, however, ought not to be allowed to obscure any fine views that may be seen from the house, but on the other hand, they can do wonders in enhancing a fine view or in improving a very ordinary one; a stretch of pasture and a neighboring orchard, for instance, can take on the tinge of romance if seen through a vista of trees.

To do well from the start, the trees must be well and truly planted. If the soil is inclined to be wet it should be drained, and when digging the holes, ample room must be left for the roots to make good growth. A filling in with good top soil in which some rotted manure has been incorporated and the planting finished off with a mulch of straw manure will give the trees every chance to go right ahead from the start. Just two or three trees

## Jottings From Our Fall Fair

**N**O visitor to the recent Exhibition in Victoria could but have been struck by the immense opportunities that presented themselves of educating the public in matters that, while principally relating to agricultural life, are of vital concern to the community at large. It goes without saying that many of these opportunities were used to the fullest extent, and perhaps in no instance more than in the wool exhibit. Due to the untiring zeal and perseverance of Mrs. Dennis Harris and others working with her, the woolen industry is steadily increasing its grip upon the imagination of the public. 'It is impossible to praise too highly the work of the ladies concerned in fostering this interest, which must inevitably end in the establishing on sound lines a large industry which on the one hand will benefit the rural districts in buying a product which, however intrinsically valuable, has at the present time a very small commercial value, and on the other hand will benefit the town by creating employment both in manufacturing and selling the goods. Attempts have been made recently to get a woolen industry built up by the introduction of outside interests, but so far these have not materialized, while, on the contrary, the home effort has steadily pushed forward, and when the commercially manufacturing point is reached it will have become deeply rooted in local endeavor. This is the natural way for an industry to come into being, and it is the only certain way. It was in this way that the Scotch tweeds and the Welsh homespuns grew into a commercial product. They were the results of local conditions which were used intelligently by local industry, and history will be repeated once more in this Island, judging by the increasing interest which is being shown in the work. The display of rugs, shawls, golf hose, as well as delicate wool lace and handsome heather-colored tweed, all made from British Columbia wool, showed any spectators who might have been ignorant of what is being done in this line the wealth of our resources. Spinning-wheels were kept at work and tempted many onlookers to inquire the price, and no doubt set them thinking of taking up the new and useful pastime. A loom, with weaving demonstrations, would have been an immense aid in focussing public attention upon the ultimate objective of the movement, that of manufacturing cloths from local wools, but probably this was omitted from want of room, for the space was fully occupied as it was. It must be said, though, that a small loom was to be seen, which had the distinction of being made by a boy twelve years old, Philip Eldredge by name, and it is to be noted at the same time that all the spinning-wheels on exhibition were made in Victoria. A spinning-wheel by every fireside ought to be a slogan of the wool-workers.

But the educational work of the woolen industry was not confined to these demonstrations, for in another part of the exhibition a display by the Dominion Government of different grades and sorts of raw wool gave enlightenment to many. Here the observer might see for himself what is meant by "fine combing" and "medium clothing," while free pamphlets studied at leisure would tell him of the purposes to which these various grades are put. One has sometimes heard it argued innocently that if wool sells at sixteen cents a pound, why should the finished cloth cost as much as at present prices it does. This pamphlet will help to show at least some of the reasons for the difference.

Another section that attracted much attention was the honey exhibit. A glass case shown by W. J. Savory revealed the busy bees at work on the comb, and the various groups of honey displayed demonstrated that this locality is unexcelled for the quality of honey produced. In fact, it is acknowledged that, while the vicinity of Victoria does not rank high as regards suitable conditions for honey production, yet the honey produced here is of first class quality and fetches top prices in the trade. This fact helps to offset other drawbacks, and an increasing number of people are finding in bees very useful allies in adding to the annual income.

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## The Friendly Wasp

By John J. Ward, F.E.S., in The Daily Mail

**T**O treat the wasp fairly we must regard it as a friend rather than a foe. Its real function is

- (1) That of a natural scavenger in removing animal and vegetable decaying matter, and
- (2) That of a hunter of various insects, all of which man has to regard as his foes.

True, the wasp takes toll of our good things, but we must not overlook the fact that by far the greater number of wasps never come in contact with a town, village, or even a garden.

Ont in the open country, where their nests are built, they find all their natural food without clashing with man's interests. Flies, caterpillars, and aphides provide the meat diet for the wasp grubs being reared in the combs, and the sweets are gathered usually from reddish or meat-colored flowers with an unpleasant odor.

The blossoms of the figwort supply their greatest Summer feasts; each lucid red flower, holding out its little cup of sweet nectar, is perfectly formed to fit the head of the visiting wasp; and over-ripe blackberries are eagerly sought in the early Autumn.

Over-ripe fruit is a decaying substance, and should the wasp be near an orchard its keen sense of smell naturally directs it to the ripest plum or pear.

In the same way, in chasing flies, it sometimes finds itself at the village butcher's shop, and there it stalks the flies on his board, pouncing on them and almost immediately cutting off their wings with its sharp mandibles, after which the body is carried away as prey for the wasp grubs.

In the orchard its morals go astray, for, finding such large stores of food material, so easy of access, it does not seek any further sources of supply, but returns again and again.

Likewise at the butcher's shop flies are abundant, and all goes well until the wasp stalks a fly on the meat and incidentally discovers the taste of beef, when another moral slip invariably follows, the wasp ever after-

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It is impossible to survey even briefly the many other points of interest connected with the Fair. Our Island breeders of dairy stock are to be congratulated on holding their own so well against some pretty formidable strangers. It can hardly be said, though, that the showing was as fully representative as it might have been, for some of the best districts and herds were not represented at all. No doubt the owners rely more upon the showing of the R.O.P. tests to demonstrate their standing, but it cannot be denied that exhibiting affords a strong opportunity for advertisement. We have always been strong in the poultry line, but the goat exhibit must have been a surprise to many. It is very evident that the goat is here for good in more than one sense, and is taking its place amongst the more familiar sheep and cattle as an ally of humanity that can be reckoned upon.

wards coming for bits of beef, easy to obtain, rather than flies which it has to hunt.

So the wasp becomes a nuisance simply because temptation came in its way. Nevertheless, if wasps were exterminated it is safe to say that other worse pests would in consequence quickly appear.

The very abundance of wasps and their rapid development shows that they play an important part in the balance of Summer life forms. There may be 60,000 wasps reared in a single nest from its commencement in early May by the queen until its destruction in late October.

The wasp rarely ever stings unless provoked in some way, but it will not be diverted from its purpose. I have often been stung several times in an hour when photographing the interior of wasps' nests, but a spot of pure olive oil smeared over the part invariably proves an immediate remedy. There is no cure so good.

## ANTS AND APHIDES

Ants are the principal cause of fruit trees becoming covered with aphides, according to Mr. S. D. Conner, of the Purdue University Agricultural Experiment Station, U.S.A.

"This, though vouched for by Mr. Conner, seems something of a fairy tale," comments Mr. J. L. North, curator of the Royal Botanic Society of London, in the Quarterly Summary of the society.

Mr. Conner, being troubled by aphides on his fruit trees, and noting that ants were found in company with them, experimented with a can of "Tree Tanglefoot," a sticky substance, placing a band of it two inches wide and a quarter of an inch thick round the foot of each tree.

"It effectually stopped the ants from climbing," writes Mr. North, "but also, to his surprise, the trees remained clear of aphides."

"Only in two instances was there failure; one, some grasses touched a tree above the band and formed a bridge up which the ants found a passage; the other, when the weight of fruit upon a cherry tree bent a branch so that it touched the fence, and they got up that way. Spraying soon cleared them off, and throughout 1917 and 1918 the whole of the trees remained clean."

"Ants and aphides have much the same habits all the world over," observed Mr. North, "and it might be worth the while of fruit growers in this country to try the effect of grease-banding their fruit trees in Summer as well as Winter."

The leaves of the Madras (India) water lilies will readily support the weight of a child.



## Essays on Industry—Two Islands

By J. B. Holdcroft, A.M.E.I.C.

HERE have been a good many pages written from time to time about Vancouver Island as a site of future great industries, and more or less serious attempts have been made by public and semi-public bodies, as well as by individuals, to encourage the establishment of particular projects by various means. There are, however, at least as far as Victoria, the principal city of the Island and the capital of the Province of British Columbia, is concerned, two points of view or schools of thought on this subject. One follows the line of least resistance, and regards the scenic attractions of the Island, judged from the standpoint of the tourist or summer visitor, as the most promising and profitable field of exploitation. Speaking only of Victoria, this may be to an extent true, particularly in view of the fact that there is a strong sentiment in existence against any attempt to alter it from the beautiful residential city that it is and make it an industrial centre.

There is, however, a strong and growing sentiment in the other direction, particularly among the younger merchants and business men, who believe in and work for a development of industry on the Island, not excepting Victoria itself, and feel that only in this direction will the Island attain to the prosperity to which it is entitled by virtue of the natural resources of all kinds of which it is a possessor. This movement has taken a number of different forms during its history, one of the earliest perhaps being the agitation for the bridging of Seymour Narrows to secure direct communication with the Mainland, a scheme of which little has been heard either during or since the war. This was the outcome of a belief that Victoria is logically the terminal port for Western Canada; but whatever weight this consideration may have been entitled to in the early days, it is Quixotic to argue in its favor now that Vancouver has become so solidly established as the terminal of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Victoria must look for its importance at home, and once the resources back of it are better known and appreciated, will find ample scope for its activities and plenty of traffic for its port.

### Development Movement

That the development movement, as we might term it, is gaining in weight is shown by the fact that it has had sufficient influence to secure the expenditure of large sums of money on two, at present incomplete and isolated, schemes leading towards Victoria's development as a port. Reference is to the Songhees Reserve Railway Terminal, as it is called, a Provincial undertaking, and the Outer Harbor Works, including a concrete and stone breakwater and two large piers, built by the Dominion Government. These works, which logically should have direct and rapid intercommunication, are, as intimated above, without such connections, and so are of little present benefit. The development movement, it appears, lacks a definite and comprehensive plan of operations. It has done good work, but its work has been disjointed, and the tendency has been to expect trade to grow because of the existence of a harbor, for instance, in forgetfulness of the fact that there are already large and safe harbors on the Island needing little in the way of artificial works to make them suitable for overseas shipping, which have not as yet drawn the streams of trade in their direction. In short, however well fitted a store may be, it will not attract customers unless it is stocked with goods, a fact which it would appear is easily lost sight of when dealing with the larger questions of trade and transportation. Ports, railways, industries, water powers, we have them all, and all have received their share of attention, but co-ordination is required, with the establishment of a basis of relative values, together with such a study of trade conditions as will suggest a definite line of thought and action towards the desired end, which, as all will agree, is the advancement of the prosperity of the Island through commercial operations.

It is not the purpose of this article to attempt to establish or recommend anything very specific towards the desired end, so much as to make a general and somewhat rough survey of the existing situation, and for the reason that we are somewhat inclined to minimize our own opportunities at times to make a comparison between the situation and natural resources of this Island and those of Great Britain, owing to certain similarities, which are instructive, however absurd it may seem at the outset, to make such a comparison. Lying, as it does, between the 48th and 51st parallels of latitude, on the western seaboard of Canada, Vancouver Island is favored with a much milder climate than is experienced by the interior portions of the continent of the same latitudes. Rainfall varies considerably, the southern end, where Victoria is located, having quite a light annual precipitation, averaging about 28 inches. The West Coast, on the other hand, has, generally speaking, quite heavy rainfall, averaging perhaps 70 inches, and rising in certain localities as high as 100 inches or over per annum.

### Timber Industry

It is this heavy rainfall on the West Coast, and in the mountainous districts, that accounts for the splendid timber stands of the Island, which, according to one of the latest estimates, is reported to amount to almost 117,000 million feet, board measure, of merchantable timber, and about 7,200 million feet, board measure, of timber suitable for piling, poles and pulp wood. When it is further seen that the total timber resources of the Province amount to, in round numbers, 350,000 million feet, board measure, of all kinds of wood, it will be seen that Vancouver Island carries within its comparatively small area, about 34 per cent of that total, a very important link in the chain of facts we are forging.

Iron ore is known to exist on the Island, as well as on the mainland of British Columbia, on the Queen Charlotte Islands, and on some of the smaller islands of the Gulf of

Georgia. Practically nothing has been done so far towards the development of these deposits, and it is impossible, according to the reports of the Commission of Conservation, even to estimate their volume and extent, although they are known to be very great.

Passing to coal, British Columbia as a whole is said to have resources amounting to 38,976 million tons, of which 314 million tons are lignite, the balance being bituminous and anthracite coals of excellent quality. Of this total a large proportion exists on Vancouver Island, and the actual production of the Island amounts to about 60 per cent of the total produced in the Province.

The mention of coal naturally suggests the other great source of power, water, with which also Vancouver Island is richly endowed. There is an estimated possible development of water power amounting to 263,300 horse power, of which 70 per cent is obtainable at sites on the East Coast and 30 per cent on the West Coast, in the latter case principally at the head of the deep and sheltered inlets which indent that otherwise exposed and dangerous coast. It is interesting to note in this connection that the larger power sites are located at strategic points for the convenient and economical distribution of electric current.

The fisheries of the Island are also of great importance and of great variety. The whaling industry has been thoroughly established and is very prosperous. The salmon fisheries, with the allied canning industry, is too well known to require comment, and in addition, halibut, cod, sturgeon, herring, oolachan, pilchard, smelt, lobsters, crabs and oysters are found, although the industry is by no means so well established as might be, and is not entirely, from a British or Canadian standpoint, in the right hands.

### Agricultural Districts

Vancouver Island is not, generally speaking, very well suited to agricultural pursuits, excepting in certain districts, such as the Saanich Peninsula, Cowichan and Comox districts, and on the West Coast, the Alberni Valley. Other districts may be opened up as time goes on, but the agricultural area will always be small as compared with the total area of the Island. Too much of the area is rocky and mountainous for very much to be done along this line, although where it is possible, growing conditions are excellent, and crops, especially of fruits, very profitable.

These mountainous districts will, however, undoubtedly be found to contain much mineral wealth of various kinds. Iron and coal have already been referred to, and prospects are very good of copper and other metals becoming important products of the Island, while non-metallic deposits are also being worked, and two large and modern Portland cement plants are established on the shores of the Saanich Inlet—the only cement manufacturing in British Columbia.

In an enumeration of the natural resources of Vancouver Island, mention must not be omitted of what is regarded by some as the pre-eminent resource from a commercial standpoint—for Victoria, at any rate. Reference is, of course, to the tourist traffic. Climatic conditions are such that Victoria and the Island generally are attractive to certain classes of travelers practically all the year round. The summer time, which naturally witnesses the heaviest travel, attracts visitors largely from the United States—commercial people from the cities visiting the Coast partly on account of its beauties, partly to escape the extremes of heat during their holidays, and partly, it must be admitted, on account of the possibility of obtaining from the Government vendors those supplies so necessary yet so illegal on the other side. During the Autumn and Winter a different class is found in the farmer people from the Prairies, who flock to the Coast after a good harvest, many of them with the idea of finding a home and retiring from farm life, some merely to enjoy a holiday and escape the rigors of a Prairie Winter. All are holiday makers and have money to spend, so that the attractive climate and natural beauty of our Island may very properly be classed among its commercial assets.

### Shipping Facilities

And to round out this outline description of what Vancouver Island holds as natural resources as a source of future wealth, we must mention briefly its physical features from a shipping point of view; in other words, its facilities for transportation, and especially for making overseas shipments. One railway line, the Esquimalt & Nanaimo, connects all the towns of any size, running up the East Coast a distance of about 140 miles, from Victoria to Courtenay, with a projected extension to Campbell River, another forty miles. A branch line from this railway crosses to the West Coast and furnishes transportation to the towns of Alberni and Port Alberni, at the head of Barclay Sound. Another railway, the Canadian National, from Victoria to Alberni by a different route, is nearly completed, but is practically in abeyance at the present time. The Island is well provided with natural harbors, particularly on the West Coast, which is otherwise exposed and dangerous. Five sounds indent this coast, in some cases nearly dividing the Island, and furnish good shelter and deep water throughout their lengths. They are Barclay, Clayoquot, Kyuquot, Nootka and Quatsino Sounds, which, with their branches and ramifications, furnish the possibility of water transportation to districts which would otherwise be, to a large extent, inaccessible.

It is evident, from what has been said above, that little criticism can be fairly made as to the taking out and marketing of the more prominent of the Island's resources, except perhaps, that we would like to see a start made towards the opening up of an iron industry using our own ore. Much has been done, and is being done, on these lines, and the lumbering, coal mining and fishing carried on have contributed not a little to the wealth and progress of the Province generally. But in making a comparison, such as we are at-

tempting, of this Island's location and resources, with those of Great Britain before she had reached her present commercial greatness, it is with the purpose of showing that, given our stores of coal and iron, and accessibility to markets with great scope for expansion, it would be profitable to engage in more general manufacture, allowing as little as possible, or rather, we should say, a progressively smaller proportion of our natural products to be shipped out as raw material, or in a very slightly manufactured state. And further, it should also be profitable to import raw materials for reshaping after the labor value of manufacture had been added to them.

### Britain's Example

Leaving aside for the present any special characteristics of the British people themselves, Britain's commercial greatness is attributable to three principal causes—the possession of large coal and iron resources, her insular position and her favorable geographical location for reaching the great markets of the world by the water routes. So that from the time that the steam engine and the introduction of labor-saving machinery made it possible to manufacture goods quickly, cheaply and in bulk, two streams of traffic have been continuously flowing—one carrying the products of British manufacture to the four corners of the world, the other bringing in those raw materials which could not be locally produced to be later shipped out again as completed articles of trade. Were this an article on England's development, it would be interesting at this point to follow the relation of the production of coal and iron to this growth and the ratio of her production of these essentials to that of other nations—a ratio which is steadily decreasing, as was inevitable with the development of other parts of the world, even though the actual production has increased. The mere mention of the fact is as much as can be done here.

We have mentioned Britain's insularity. Quite apart from political or racial separations, the fact has a strong influence towards creating a certain independence of character and a tendency to look for the necessities of life within their own borders, and to become more and more a nation of inventors and constructors. And the further tendency to become shipbuilders, sailors and traders, would follow very naturally to an island people, while it is a matter of history how much the virility and force of character of the people of that island has been fostered and increased by the pursuits mentioned. And when, as with Britain in the eighteenth and early part of the nineteenth century, the overseas markets of the world were just being opened up in a large sense, before the United States supplied most of its own needs and became in turn an exporting nation, and South America, Africa, Australia and the islands of the sea were being really discovered, so to speak, in a commercial and colonization way, it is little wonder that "the nation of shopkeepers," having learned the ways of the sea, should largely reap the benefit.

History records a slow westward movement of the trading centres of the world, the reason probably being that from very early times the new and undiscovered markets have always been in the West. And while no Briton likes to contemplate the possibility of any dwindling of the supremacy so long and ably held by the Old Land, it is probable that history may be repeated and America be to the world what in old days Phoenicia, Venice, the Netherlands were, and England is today. In the old days China, India, and the South Sea Islands were the field of the buyers from "civilized" lands. Today these countries are as great as ever from the buyers' standpoint, but are becoming a salesman's market also. They are asking for machinery and all the miscellaneous commodities that the inventive faculty of our race has made familiar to us, but which are as strange and wonderful as Aladdin's lamp to most of them, so that to this extent history has already repeated itself, and the newest world market is rising in the West.

### Geographical Position

In view of all this, the absurdity of the comparison we are drawing between the Old Country and Vancouver Island will not seem so conspicuous. Vancouver Island's geographical relation to South America, to Australia, to the Indies, to China and Japan, is a fair parallel to that existing between England and Africa, South America (east coast), the West Indies and North America, and these Pacific markets have today all the potentialities which characterized those of the Atlantic a hundred years ago. A large question is therefore opened up, with plenty of scope for the activities of any number of boards of trade and commercial or technical clubs. But as this is an age of co-operation, it would seem that, to remain in the race, or rather, to get in it, for we do not suppose that the industries already established are going to languish, some co-operative effort should be launched with the object of carrying out an exhaustive industrial survey of the Island and its potential markets. That this could not be carried out purely from the Victorian's point of view is fully evident, and it would seem that such a survey should be carried out in sections, based on each of the greater deep-water harbors of the Island. And if the organization doing this work could be enlarged in scope so as to include within its powers and functions the financing and selling for manufacturing industries established in accordance with the results of the investigation, there would be an opportunity for capable individuals or groups to realize plans which are only hampered at present by a lack of the funds necessary to start operations and enter an overseas market.

The suggestions advanced may be impracticable for various good reasons, but on the other hand, there are in existence very strong reasons for the putting in motion of some comprehensive scheme. If we are not alive to our opportunities, other people are; witness the gradual encroachments in fundamental industries of people of other races than our own. We are inclined to superciliousness, a sense of superiority, when we speak of Chinese, Japanese and Hindus. Any or all of these, however, are very shrewd business men, and are establishing themselves in businesses built upon vital natural resources, while some of us who are superior fritter away time and energy in "taking in each other's washing."

Exclusion is all right, tariffs and immigration restrictions have their very useful place,



Astrophysical Observatory.

By H. H. Plaskett, of the Dominion

### THE RED SPOT OF JUPITER

IN a recent number of The Illustrated London News there has appeared a drawing showing the Red Spot of Jupiter, together with some explanatory remarks to the effect that the Red Spot is a moon in the process of birth. It is the purpose of this article to discuss this somewhat startling suggestion.

In the year 1878, C. W. Pritchett, an American astronomer, discovered on the surface of the planet Jupiter a pale pinkish marking about 30,000 miles long and 7,000 miles wide. Within a few months this object had, with some difficulty, been observed by others. In the next year, however, it changed in color to a bright brick red, and became the most conspicuous object on the planet. Since that time it has been observed continuously, and though its visibility has varied from time to time, it has persisted for over forty years. There is indeed rather good reason for believing it to be identical with the spot observed on Jupiter by Hooke in 1664.

The continued existence of the Red Spot for forty and possibly for over two hundred years is most remarkable. For, since the density of Jupiter is but little greater than water, it follows that its surface must be composed of gases and cloud-like materials. That this is the case is shown by the changes in detail that can readily be observed in the course of an hour on the planet's surface. In spite of the unstable and turbulent nature of its surroundings, however, the Red Spot, itself no doubt of a gaseous nature, has persisted for many years.

It is with the purpose, then, of accounting for the existence of this Red Spot that the hypothesis of moon birth has been made. As soon as an attempt is made to gauge the probability of this hypothesis we encounter one of the most prevalent difficulties of astronomical investigation. The chemist or the physicist in his laboratory can so arrange his experiments that whole operations are complete within a few moments or hours. The astronomer, on the other hand, is of necessity a passive observer of operations so vast in their character that there is, in many cases, no perceptible change in the course of many hundreds of years. Of such a character are the changes involved in the formation of moons from planets. Under these circumstances the method of attack is to ascertain, from theoretical and mathematical considerations, the behavior of a mass of gas under the known forces of rotation and gravitation, and discover under what conditions such a mass of gas will give birth to a moon. Appeal is then made to observational astronomy to learn if these conditions are met.

### Rotating Gas Sphere

A mass of gas, devoid of rotation and under its own gravitational attraction, will assume the figure of a sphere. Given an initial rotation, however slight, it is known that with the passage of time it will spin faster and faster about its polar axis. This is a consequence of the fact that, as it radiates heat into outer spaces, it contracts, and since the quantity of the rotation (measured by the rotation radius) must remain constant, the rate of rotation must therefore increase. The effect of rotation on the sphere of gas is to flatten it slightly at the poles. As the rotation increases, the flattening increases until a point is reached where the ratio of polar to equatorial diameters is as 7 to 12. At this point the somewhat disc-like figure crumples up on one of the equatorial diameters. With still further increase of rotation the mass of gas finally appears not unlike a cigar which is whirling about on a pin through its centre. At this point instability sets in, a single furrow forms in this cigar-shaped figure, rapidly deepens, and eventually a moon or companion star is born. It was under some such conditions as these that our own moon was probably formed.

Let us now apply this theory to the planet Jupiter. Observation shows that it is slightly flattened at the poles—the ratio of polar to equatorial diameters being as 7 to 7½. It is still, therefore, a considerable period of time away from the point when it will divide in two by rotation. In fact, its density would have to increase by five times, and its mean diameter decrease by three-fifths before instability would set in. Judging by analogy from the earth, in which there is evolution of heat due to radioactive matter, and hence no contraction, and further from the fact that there has been no observed decrease in the diameter of Jupiter during a period of, say, 100 years, it is extremely improbable that Jupiter will give birth to a moon due to rotational effect for a great many thousands of years. It is certainly safe to say that the Red

Spot will not develop into a moon on account of the rotation of Jupiter within the lifetime of the readers of this article, or within the lifetime of their descendants fifty generations removed.

### Origin of Tides

Rotation, however, is not the only means by which known forces can give rise to satellites. In fact, it is very probable that the planets which revolve about the sun, and the satellites of Jupiter and Saturn, were found in quite a different manner. There are a few natural phenomena with which people who dwell by the sea are more familiar than with the tides and their relation to the moon. In much the same way as the tides are now produced on the earth, so once it is believed were tides formed on the sun by a passing star. The consequence was that the sun became rapidly elongated in the direction of the star. This elongation continued until the ratio of polar to equatorial diameters was as 7 to 22. At this stage not one, but many furrows formed in the cigar-shaped body; they deepened rapidly and finally developed into separate bodies revolving around the sun. Jupiter, with its eight satellites, so closely resembles the solar system that it is natural to suppose that Jupiter's moons were also formed by tidal action.

Returning to the Red Spot, the question arises: Is it a moon in process of formation due to tidal action? The answer to this question is very definitely in the negative. Not only is there no tide generating body of the required mass in the neighborhood of Jupiter, but Jupiter also exhibits none of the effects of tidal action. In fact, Jupiter is an oblate spheroid (flattened at the poles), whereas under tidal action it should be a prolate spheroid (elongated towards and symmetrical about an axis pointing to the tide generating body).

It has now been shown that under the known forces which act on astronomical bodies it is very improbable that the Red Spot is a moon in process of formation. It is, however, a possible hypothesis that some unknown source of energy is at work showing the Red Spot off into space. In order to examine the probability of this hypothesis we must determine the amount of energy required. Assuming that the Red Spot is a spheroid of matter with the density of water, with axes 30,000 miles, 7,000 miles and 7,000 miles, its mass will be 2.57 by 10 to the 28th power grams (in tons 253, with 19 zero's after it). To project this mass away from Jupiter will require an initial velocity of 30 miles a second. To give this enormous mass a velocity of 30 miles a second requires 3.07 by 10 to the 41st power ergs of energy. This amount of energy, if set free in Jupiter, would suffice to raise its temperature over 3000 degs. C. (7,000 deg. F.). The consequent effect on Jupiter would be that, whereas it now appears as a somewhat bright star, under these circumstances it would appear about six times brighter than the full moon.

### Probably a Sun Spot

This data will give us an estimate of the probability of the hypothesis that some unknown source of energy is showing the Red Spot off into space. For if the four planets, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune, are in such a condition that an unknown source of energy of this amount is likely to be released within them, it is a great deal more probable that it will dissipate itself as heat rather than expend itself in blowing a piece of matter off the planet. This being the case, we should have expected, if such enormous quantities of energy were at all probable, that at least one of the four planets, during the past 6,000 years of which we have a record, would have released its internal store of energy as heat and appeared comparable in brightness to the moon. The fact that there is no record of such an occurrence, and the further fact that the planets show none of the after effects of such a "blow out" (in more senses than one), makes it exceedingly improbable that it has ever occurred. Its non-occurrence, consequently, makes the existence of such quantities of energy as postulated by the hypothesis very unlikely.

Having thus shown that the Red Spot will not become a moon by the action of known forces, and that unknown forces of the required magnitude are exceedingly unlikely to occur, it remains only to state what the Red Spot probably is. The consensus of opinion is that it is something in the nature of a sun-spot, or a possible terrestrial analogy is a volcano. More than this cannot be safely said. In fact, we have arrived at the impasse, not unfamiliar in science, where it is easier to say what the Red Spot is not than what it is. These and other similar problems of astronomy can only be solved when more and improved observational material has been acquired.

### MONEY AND MUSIC

Music is the outward expression of beauty in the soul of the artist. How then can a person, whose very soul is shrouded by self-love, conceive of, or give to the world a really great message. Technical proficiency and greed are his only acquisitions, after he has elbowed and shoved his way to the top. Money and fame are the only gods he will know. Remember that some artists sing to make money; the real artist sings to make music.

The self-seeker is like a man with a wonderful vocabulary, with a wealth of polished phrases, with a fine presence, but who for the very life of him could not produce a single original, worthwhile idea, clothed in its gorgeous mantle of words. He has nothing to give. The days of flowery speech, of honeyed nothings, and of spellbinders have quite passed. The public demands something definite and substantial. A man may hold the unthinking multitude for a time with his empty oratory, or with saccharine vocalism, but people soon get tired of this sort of thing.



## President of British Association Protests Against Poison Gas

**S**IR Edward Thorpe, President of the British Association, was prevented by illness from personally reading his inaugural address to the members assembled in Edinburgh recently, but the able review of scientific attainment during the past year was read by proxy. The address dealt with such important subjects as the "Mechanism of the Atom," the "Nature of the Elements," and the "Essential Unity of Matter," and concluded with an appeal that science should not be prostituted to the baser uses of war by any condonation by scientists of the use of poison gas. After paying tribute to his predecessors in office, Sir Edward went on to say:

I turn now to a question of scientific interest which is attracting general attention at the present time, directly connected with Lord Kelvin's address fifty years ago. The molecular theory of matter, which in its crudest form has descended to us from the earliest times, hardly rested on an experimental basis until within the memory of men still living. When Lord Kelvin spoke in 1871, the best-established development of the molecular hypothesis was exhibited in the kinetic theory of gases as worked out by Joule, Clausius, and Clerk-Maxwell. No such comprehensive molecular theory had ever been even imagined before the nineteenth century. But he clearly perceived that it was "but a well-drawn part of a great chart, in which all physical science will be represented with every property of matter shown in dynamical relation to the whole." The prospect we now have of an early completion of this chart is based on the assumption of atoms. But there can be no permanent satisfaction to the mind in explaining heat, light, elasticity, diffusion, electricity, and magnetism, in gases, liquids and solids, and describing precisely the relations of these different states of matter to one another by statistics of great numbers of atoms when the properties of the atom itself are simply assumed. When the theory is complete, we are but brought face to face with a superlatively grand question: What is the inner mechanism of the atom?

If the properties of matter are dependent on the inner mechanism of the atom, an atomic theory must comprehend and explain them all. There cannot be one kind of atom for the physicist and another for the chemist. Fifty years ago chemists, for the most part, rested in the comfortable belief of the existence of atoms in the restricted sense in which Dalton, as a legacy from Newton, had imagined them. Lord Kelvin, unlike the chemists, had never been in the habit of "evading questions as to the hardness or indivisibility of atoms by virtually assuming them to be infinitely small and infinitely numerous." Science advances not so much by fundamental alterations in its beliefs as by additions to them.

### Nature of Elements

In spite of the fact that the atomic theory, as formulated by Dalton, has been generally accepted for nearly a century, it is only within the last few years that physicists have arrived at a conception of the structure of the atom sufficiently precise to be of service to chemists. This further investigation of the "superlatively grand question—the inner mechanism of the atom"—has profoundly modified the basic conceptions of chemistry. It has led to a great extension of our views concerning the real nature of the chemical elements. The discovery of the electron, the production of helium in the radioactive disintegration of atoms, the recognition of the existence of isotopes, the possibility that all elementary atoms are composed either of helium atoms or of atoms of hydrogen and helium, and that these atoms, in their turn, are built up of two constituents, one of which is the electron, a particle of negative electricity whose mass is only 1-1,800 of that of an atom of hydrogen, and the other a particle of positive electricity whose mass is practically identical with that of the same atom—the outcome, in short, of the collective work of Soddy, Rutherford, J. J. Thomson, Collie, Moseley and others—has completely altered the fundamental aspects of the science. Chemical philosophy has, in fact, now definitely entered on a new phase.

The idea of a primordial hyile, or of the essential unity of matter, has persisted throughout the ages. The more exact study within recent years of the methods of determining atomic weights, the great improvement in experimental appliances and technique, combined with a more rigorous standard of accuracy, have resulted in intensifying the belief that some natural law must be at the basis of the fact that so many of the most carefully determined atomic weights on the oxygen standard are whole numbers. Nevertheless, there were well-authenticated exceptions which seemed to invalidate its universality. The proved fact that a so-called element may be a mixture of isotopes—substances of the same chemical attributes but of varying atomic weight—has thrown new light on the question. It is now recognized that the fractional values independently established in the case of any one element by the most accurate experimental work of various investigators are, in effect, "statistical quantities" dependent upon a mixture of isotopes. This result, indeed, is a necessary corollary of modern conceptions of the inner mechanism of the atom.

The hydrogen isotope,  $H_2$ , first detected by J. J. Thomson, of which the existence has been confirmed by Aston, would seem to be an integral part of atomic structure. Rutherford, by the disruption of oxygen and nitrogen, has also isolated a substance of mass 3 which enters into the structure of atomic nuclei, but which he regards as an isotope of helium, which itself is built up of four hydrogen nuclei together with two cementing electrons. The atomic nuclei of elements of even atomic number would appear to be composed of helium nuclei only, or of helium nuclei with cementing electrons; whereas those of elements of odd atomic number are made up of helium and hydrogen nuclei together with cementing electrons. In the case of the lighter elements of the latter class the number of hydrogen nuclei associated with the helium

nuclei is invariably three, except in that of nitrogen, where it is two. The frequent occurrence of the group of three hydrogen nuclei indicates that it is structurally an isotope of hydrogen with an atomic weight of three and a nuclear charge of one. It is surmised that it is identical with the hypothetical "nebulium" from which our "elements" are held by astrophysicists to be originally produced in the stars through hydrogen and helium.

### Essential Unity of Matter

These results are of extraordinary interest as bearing on the question of the essential unity of matter and the mode of genesis of the elements. The late Sir William Crookes, at the Birmingham meeting of 1886, questioned whether there is absolute uniformity in the mass of the atoms of a chemical element, as postulated by Dalton. He thought it not improbable that an atomic weight merely represents a mean value around which the actual weights of the atoms vary within narrow limits. The work of Sir Norman Lockyer on the spectroscopic evidence for the dissociation of "elementary" matter at transcendental temperatures, and the possible synthetic interstellar production of elements, through the helium of which he originally detected the existence, will also find its due place in the history of this new philosophy.

Sir J. J. Thomson was the first to afford direct evidence that the atoms of an element, if not exactly of the same mass, were at least approximately so, by his method of analysis of positive rays. By an extension of this method Mr. F. W. Aston has succeeded in showing that a number of elements are in reality mixtures of isotopes. It has been proved, for example, that neon, which has a mean atomic weight of about 20.2, consists of two isotopes having the atomic weights respectively of 20 and 22, mixed in the proportion of 90 per cent of the former with 10 per cent of the latter. By fractional diffusion through a porous septum an apparent difference of density of 0.7 per cent between the lightest and heaviest fractions was obtained.

### Mixed Elements

The element chlorine has for its atomic weight repeatedly determined, and, for special reasons, with the highest attainable accuracy. On the oxygen standard it is 35.46, and this value is accurate to the second decimal place. All attempts to prove that it is a whole number—35 or 36—have failed. When, however, the gas is analyzed by the same method as that used in the case of neon it is found to consist of at least two isotopes of relative mass 35 and 37. There is no evidence whatever of an individual substance having the atomic weight 35.46. Hence chlorine is to be regarded as a complex element consisting of two principal isotopes of atomic weights 35 and 37 present in such proportion as to afford the mean mass 35.46.

Argon, which has an atomic weight of 39.88, was found to consist mainly of an isotope having the atomic weight of 40, associated to the extent of about 3 per cent with an isotope of atomic weight 36. Krypton would appear to consist of six isotopes, 78, 80, 82, 83, 84, 86. Fluorine is a simple element of atomic weight 19. Bromine consists of equal quantities of two isotopes, 79 and 81. Iodine, on the contrary, would appear to be a simple element of atomic weight 127. All this work is so recent that there has been little opportunity, as yet, of extending it to any considerable number of the metallic elements. It is, however, highly probable that mercury is a mixed element consisting of many isotopes.

This imperfect summary of Mr. Aston's work is mainly based upon the account he recently gave to the Chemical Society. At the close of his lecture he pointed out the significance of the results in relation to the Periodic Law. It is clear that the order of the chemical or "mean" atomic weights in the Periodic table has no practical significance; anomalous cases such as argon and potassium are simply due to the relative proportions of their heavier and lighter isotopes. This does not necessarily invalidate or even weaken the Periodic Law, which still remains the expression of a great natural truth. The new light we have now gained has gone far to clear up much that was anomalous, especially Moseley's discovery that the real sequence is the atomic number, not the atomic weight. This is one more illustration of the fact that science advances by additions to its belief rather than by fundamental or revolutionary changes in them.

### "Nature's Standard Bricks"

The hearing of the electronic theory of matter, too, on Prout's discarded hypothesis that the atoms of all elements were themselves built up of a primordial atom—his prototype, which he regarded as probably identical with hydrogen—is too obvious to need pointing out. In a sense Prout's hypothesis may be said to be now re-established, but with this essential modification—the primordial atoms he imagined are complex and are of two kinds—atoms of positive and negative electricity—respectively known as protons and electrons. These, in Mr. Aston's words, are the standard bricks that Nature employs in her operations of element building.

The true value of any theory consists in its comprehensiveness and sufficiency. As applied to chemistry, this theory of "the inner mechanism of the atom" must explain all its phenomena. We owe to Sir J. J. Thomson its extension to the explanation of the Periodic Law, the atomic number of an element, and of that varying power of chemical combination in an element we term valency.

The term "atomic weight" has thus acquired for the chemist an altogether new and much wider significance. It has long been recognized that it has a far deeper import than as a constant useful in chemical arithmetic. For the ordinary purposes of quantitative analysis, of technology, and of trade, these constants may be said to be now known with sufficient accuracy. But in view of their bearing on the great problem of the essential nature of matter and on the "superlatively grand question, What is the inner mechanism of the atom?" they become of supreme importance. Their determination and study must now be

approached from entirely new standpoints and by the conjoint action of chemists and physicists. The existence of isotopes has enormously widened the horizon. These considerations have already engaged the attention of chemists. For some years past a small international committee, originally appointed in 1903, have made and published an annual report in which they have noted such determinations of atomic weight as have been made during the year preceding such report, and they have from time to time made suggestions for the amendment of the Tables of Atomic Weights, published in text-books and chemical journals, and in use in chemical laboratories. In view of recent developments, the time has now arrived when the work of this international committee must be reorganized and its aims and functions extended. The mode in which this should be done has been discussed at the meeting in Brussels in June last, of the International Union of Chemistry Pure and Applied, and has resulted in strengthening the constitution of the committee and in a wide extension of its scope.

### Chemical Warfare

The Great War differed from all previous internecine struggles in the extent to which organized science was invoked and systematically applied in its prosecution. In its later phases, indeed, success became largely a question as to which of the great contending parties could most rapidly and most effectively bring its resources to their aid. The military class in every country is probably the most conservative of all the professions and the slowest to depart from tradition. But when nations are at grips, and they realize that their very existence is threatened, every agency that may tend to cripple the adversary is apt to be resorted to—no matter how far it departs from the customs and conventions of war. This is more certain to be the case if the struggle is protracted. We have witnessed this fact in the course of the late war. Nothing shocked the conscience of the civilized world more than Germany's cynical disregard of the undertakings into which she had entered with other countries in regard to, for instance, the use of lethal gas in warfare. April 25, 1915, which saw the clouds of the asphyxiating chlorine slowly wafted from the German trenches towards the lines of the Allies, witnessed one of the most bestial episodes in the history of the Great War. The world stood aghast at such a spectacle of barbarism. German kultur apparently had absolutely no ethical value. Poisoned weapons are employed by savages, and noxious gas had been used in Eastern warfare in early times, but its use was hitherto unknown among European nations.

How it originated among the Germans—whether by the direct unprompted action of the Higher Command, or, as is more probable, at the instance of persons connected with the great manufacturing concerns in Rhineland, has, so far as I know, not transpired. From April, 1915, to September, 1918, no fewer than eighteen different forms of poison—gases, liquids and solids—were employed by the Germans, became inevitable, and for the greater part of the years we had the sorry spectacle of the most deadly products of one another that chemical knowledge could suggest and technical skill contrive.

Warfare, it would seem, has not definitely entered upon a new phase. The horrors which The Hague Convention saw were imminent, and from which they strove to protect humanity, are now, apparently, by the example and initiative of Germany, to become part of the established procedure of war. Civilization protests against a step so retrograde. Surely comity among nations should be adequate to arrest it. If the League of Nations is vested with any real power, it should be possible for it to devise the means. The failure of The Hague Convention is no sufficient reason for despair. The moral sense of the civilized world is not so dulled but that, if roused, it can make its influence prevail. And steps should be taken without delay to make that influence supreme, and all the more so that there are agencies at work which would seek to perpetuate such methods as a recognized procedure of war.

### Negation of Civilization

"Mustard gas" may be a comparatively innocuous product as lethal substances go. It certainly was not intended to be such by our enemies. Nor, presumably, were the Allies any more considerate when they retaliated with it. Its effects, indeed, were sufficiently terrible to destroy the German moral. The knowledge that the Allies were preparing to employ it to an almost boundless extent was one of the factors that determined our enemies to sue for the Armistice. But if poisonous chemicals are henceforth to be regarded as a regular means of offence in warfare, is it at all likely that their use will be confined to the various substances which were employed up to the date of the Armistice? To one who, after the peace, inquired in Germany concerning the German methods of making "mustard gas," the reply was: "Why are you worrying about this when you know perfectly well that this is not the gas we shall use in the next war?" This association, I trust, will set its face against the continued degradation of science in thus augmenting the horrors of war. It could have no loftier task than to use its great influence in arresting a course which is the very negation of civilization.

### AN ELECTRICAL PIONEER

A link with the great Faraday, who was the scientific founder of the electrical industry, has been broken by the death recently in England of Mr. S. A. Varley at the age of 90. Varley received his first inspiration from the lectures of Faraday at the Royal Institution, London, and he played an active part in the laying of the first Atlantic cable. During the Crimean War he laid, for the first time in military history, a field electric telegraph for war purposes. He was also the originator of the time ball at Greenwich Observatory and elsewhere for giving time signals visible to the public. Still more important was his invention of the compound wound dynamo.

The Mexican Government has opened a permanent agricultural exhibit in the United States.

## Famous Actor Says Canada Welcomes Serious Drama

By Sir John Martin Harvey, in London Daily Telegraph

**N**OW that Canada is coming in for recognition as a potential domain for the adventurous "star" and the enterprising impresario, perhaps a few words about my own experience of the Dominion as a field for our art and calling may be acceptable. The "field" is now fairly well sown with adequate, and, in many instances, extremely handsome theatres.

Those at Victoria (B.C.), Toronto, Winnipeg, Montreal, Calgary, and Edmonton, compare favorably with such a theatre, say, as His Majesty's in London, while the seating capacity, stated in terms of cash and the average of prices charged for seats, is, in most of the above cases, distinctly higher than at that theatre. The theatres in less important towns are not inferior to those of towns of much larger population in the United Kingdom. The theatrical manager who wishes to make a tour of the Dominion can now book one of from twenty to thirty weeks' duration through the organization known as Trans-Canada Limited, the executive office of which is in His Majesty's Theatre, Montreal, the general manager being Mr. George Driscoll, who returned home only the other day after a two months' visit to London. My recent tour in that country was booked through this office, which now controls the bookings of all the important towns in Canada, and whose organization of our itinerary was efficient in the highest degree.

Before this centralization of booking facilities a great deal of time and expense had to be wasted to make an itinerary of towns in reasonable sequence. An advantage of such a centralization and control is that it gives the organization a voice in the approval or otherwise of intending visitors and of the plays which they propose to submit to Canadian audiences. This is a power for good and evil. That it will be exercised for good may be taken for granted, because many of those interested financially in the organization joined it from motives of patriotism, and are amongst the most influential men of affairs in that country. While fully admitting Canada's indebtedness to many of the distinguished stars who have visited them from the United States, the very large number of indifferent companies run by purely commercial managers who brought with them from "over the line" material of a light, trashy, and ephemeral nature, at length aroused the leaders of thought and influence in the Dominion to the realization that their people were worthy of better and more educative dramatic fare.

### Blazing the Trail

A movement, consequently, was started in 1914 to provide something better and more reflective of British ideals. This was the "British-Canadian Theatre Organization," inaugurated very largely through the enterprise of Mr. William Holmes. It was under this organization that my friend, Mr. Lawrence Irving, Mr. H. V. Esmond, and I first toured through Canada—indeed, I should rather like to put it on record, because I am rather proud of having "blazed the trail," that mine was the first English company solely and entirely on Canadian territory. The advent of the war brought this organization to an end, and its legitimate successor is Trans-Canada Ltd., which has secured the interest of many of those who formed the original association. Their ideals are the same, namely, to encourage what is best in English dramatic enterprise to go to Canada. The organization, I need not say, is not merely philanthropic or patriotic. It must pay its way; but the main object of the most influential men connected with the enterprise is to keep alive the old British ideals for which Canada fought and for the preservation of which she has suffered. These British ideals they recognize are best encouraged by the representation of fine British drama. They ask us to send them our best, and it is up to us to see that our loyal Dominion gets it.

This view of the high standard which the promoters of the organization look for in English companies is shared by Canadian audiences. It is an obligation flattering to our reputation as actors and as managers, and one we should be careful not to disregard or even make light of. Always remember, too, that the imagination of a Canadian audience is healthy. You recognize this in their conversation, in their own particular sense of humor, in the fearless gait, and clear, unsuspecting look in the eyes of their women. So for Britishers' sake let us not besmirch it, as we can do—too easily—in the theatre. Mere fun and foolery they can take as freely as anyone; but let us see that it is clean and wholesome fun, with no "niffy" thought underlying it. I hope that those who think of taking merely light and amusing stuff—and, of course, there is room for that—will steadfastly bear in remembrance that the mind of the country is clean, like the wind of their prairies, and not yet tainted with the foetid miasmas of old and corrupt capitals, and that its people are apt to turn a very cold shoulder on the pornographies of decadent civilizations.

### Only the Best Wanted

It would be a mistake, however, to conclude that, because of the obliquity of Canadian audiences to this element, they are unsophisticated. Personally I am inclined to think they are less unsophisticated than the average audience at home. I mean that they are quicker to feel what is false or strained, artificial, or clap-trap. Your average Canadian is a great traveller. He is in Montreal one week and Vancouver the next. He goes everywhere and sees everything. His visits to this side are frequent; he can easily drop down into the States, and in New York or Boston he keeps in touch with what is doing. The Little Theatre movement and Playgoers' Society, are on the increase—in a word, he is critical. He likes his emotions stirred deeply, but his intelligence quickly discovers the obvious or the meretricious. If I were asked which of the plays we performed there created the deepest impression, I should answer at once Maeterlinck's "The Burgomaster of Stilemonde." I had not paid the public the

compliment of supposing that they would so deeply appreciate its mastery skill, and the profound analysis of character in that wonderful play. This experience has immeasurably widened my view of the receptivity of Canadian audiences. I see now they should be offered only the very best. I am sure that if my brother and sister artists who are contemplating a visit to Canada will give nothing but their "very best" they will have the reward of great, silent, deeply appreciative audiences, responsive always to the highest, and unstinting in encouragement, together with their gratitude for having brought to them what is frequently the only form of art in their lives. It is with this conviction that, if I am fortunate enough to visit the Dominion with my company again, I shall certainly take with me all the best I have of Maeterlinck and Shakespeare and the Greek drama.

### Long "Jumps" in West

The "jumps" from one town to another are frequently—especially in the West and Middle West—fairly long, and now and again a night will be lost in traveling. But the journeys are made as comfortable as the ingenuity of railway managers can make them—indeed, I think most of us came to regard these long railway journeys as a relief from the strain of our various public engagements. It was often very pleasant, after the performance was over, to get a little supper at the hotel, go aboard a train, and tumble into one's sleeper, where most of us soon learnt to get a good night's rest, to wake up in the morning with new prospects to refresh the eye, and a thoroughly good breakfast to refresh the inner man awaiting one, in the "diner," thereafter to retire to the observation car at the rear of the train, in which one could read the morning's news, turn over the latest English illustrated journals, or smoke a pipe on the platform outside and admire the beauties of the scenery. On the whole, I think it may be said that the traveling is extremely comfortable, the attendants (mostly English) very obliging, and the cooking in the "diners" excellent, the colored porters on the sleepers being good-humored, intelligent, and most civil West Indians. Expenses? Well, this depends upon the experience and the adaptability of the traveler. One man will shake down comfortably and economically, another has a genius for attracting discomfort and expense; this one will save a third of his salary, that one will finish his tour in debt. But, roughly, one may say that expenses of hotels, food, boarding-houses, lodgings, etc., will be 50 per cent higher than at home.

## The English Woad Harvest A Centuries-Old Industry

(By a Special Correspondent of The Empire Mail)

**A**UGUST is the month when the oldest known harvest in England is gathered, a harvest which the early Britons knew, when they went out to fight, clad not in armor, but in a stain of blue. By the end of August the first of this harvest has been gathered, then follows the main crop. The product of it is always before our eyes, as from it is obtained the fine, enduring blue of the policeman's and other uniforms—woaded by the express directions of the authorities concerned.

It is the pulp of the woad or dyer's weed that is made use of to give a brilliant finish to cloth and to act as a mordant in fixing the color. Chemists at home and abroad have tried in vain to find out this secret of Nature's, and it is as well that they fail, for it cannot be doubted that this industry would not exist now but for the official desire to get the best and most lasting of uniforms. Not many of the public insist on having a woaded cloth. That is their ignorance. It certainly costs more, but it's cheaper in the end.

Woad was for centuries invaluable as a dye, but in time it had to give place to indigo, which again was ousted by the German's coal-tar dyes. During the war both woad and indigo recovered, and neither has as yet quite given way to the reintroduction of aniline blue.

The woad harvest is one which modern science and industry has not altered. "In that part of Lincolnshire known as Holland, because of its dykes and windmills, and along the border of Cambridgeshire near by, the dyer's weed is gathered in just the same way as generations ago, long before India or any other country exported indigo, or the Germans picked British chemists' brains and exploited coal-tar dyes."

The woad, or *Isatis tinctoria*, if allowed to seed, grows as high as three or four feet, with a pretty yellow flower. At the first harvest the crop of tender green shoots is picked by hand, the men and women creeping across the fields on hands and knees. The shoots are thrown into deep wicker baskets, and taken to the factory, of which there are now only three or four not far from Boston, Lincolnshire. At the factory the shoots are crushed into a pulp and fermented in troughs, then are made up into balls, and laid out on drying racks. After several weeks the balls are broken into bits, and stirred for fifty days, and the woad that results is a dirty, coarse, powder-like substance. The last stage of the process is the damping of the powder, when it is stored in vats, and is ready for sale to dyers, salters and woolen manufacturers and dyers. All throughout the season men and women crawl among the beds, pulling and clearing away the weeds. There is no need for a "Union Ticket" or button, as they carry on their hands the sign manual of their occupation—the stain of woad-blue.

### Rather Encouraging

"I understand that your boy, Josh, is interested in perpetual motion."  
"Yes," replied Farmer Hawbuck, "and I'm kinder encouraged about it. I thought for a while that the only thing Josh was interested in was perpetual rest."—Boston Transcript.

Women of the Moslem faith are forbidden to appear on the public stage.



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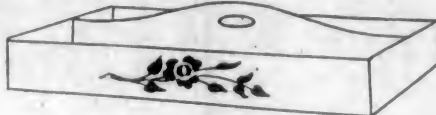
## HANDICRAFT IN THE HOME

BY ALICE URQUHART FEWELL

FOR A FRIEND WHO HAS A GARDEN

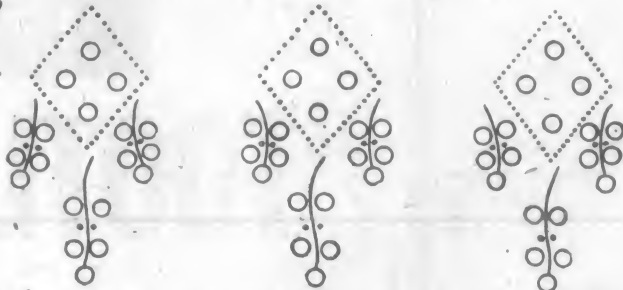


Here is a most useful gift for the friend who has a garden. The little sketch shows a portable holder or rack for small garden tools. The rack is made from one of the wooden boxes which come with a partition through the centre for holding kitchen knives. These boxes may be had in the house furnishing section of any department store. Select a large size box which will hold a garden trowel, hand fork and pruning shears. Paint the entire box inside and out with enamel paint. Black enamel paint makes a good background for decorating in bright colors and



A serviceable for constant use in the garden. Use two coats of the paint, and paint the box inside and out. When the last coat is dry transfer the design given here to the two long sides of the tool box with carbon paper. The outline will be very faint but if pressure is used in tracing one can make out the lines of the designs. Now fill in the design with colored enamel, paints or tube oil paints. The rose may be painted red and the leaves green. A coat of white shellac over the paint when it is dry will help to preserve it. This attractive box when filled with one or two small garden tools make a most acceptable gift.

### DESIGN FOR A HANDKERCHIEF CASE



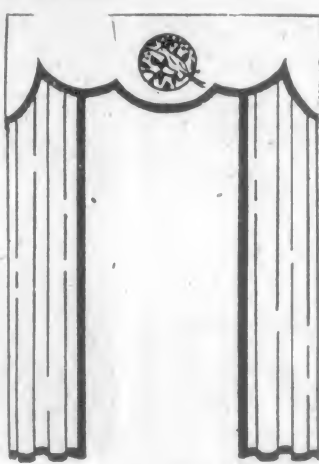
This design is for a handkerchief case which is made of linen. To make the case you will need a piece of linen six and a half inches wide, and twelve and a half inches long. On one end of this strip make a half-inch hem, and then turn up the end over the strip until a flap six inches deep is formed. Sew the sides of this flap to the sides of the strip with a seam on the inside so as to form a pocket into which the handkerchiefs are put when finished. Turn the other end of the linen strip over this pocket forming the flap at the top on which the embroidery is put. The little sketch shows the finished case

with the top flap in place after the pocket has been made. On the top flap transfer with carbon paper the design given here, placing it as shown in the sketch. Now cut the end of the flap in three points as shown in the sketch. The edges of these points may be scalloped with a buttonhole stitch or machine hemstitching may be run around them and a plect worked in the meshes of the stitching when the material has been cut close. The little round holes in the design are worked as open eyelets, the stems are done in satin stitches, and the very tiny black dots may be done in seed stitch or they may be French knots.



### DRAPERIES FOR THE BEDROOM WINDOWS

This very attractive girly sketch below is suitable for your bedroom windows, and it is made of such very inexpensive materials that you will scarcely feel the cost of a new set of curtains. The drapery is made of unbleached muslin, and trimmed with colored gingham and a small motif cut from a scrap of cretonne. Unbleached muslin comes in various widths. If the piece you buy is a yard wide you will need one width of the material for each side curtain, but if the material is 64 inches wide it may be split, and one-half the width used for each side curtain. The top part of the drapery is made from the material run lengthwise across the top of the window. To find the amount of material necessary to make it measure the full width of the window measuring to the outside edge of the window casing, allowing for the curved ends of the rod on which it is to be hung. All draperies look better if hung so the window casing is completely covered. A pattern is first cut in paper for the top drapery. This piece measures 27 inches at the point where it is widest at the two ends. Cut scallops from the paper until you have a similar effect as that in the sketch. If only half of the pattern is made first and then the centre and the pattern cut double you will have the scallops on both sides of the centre exactly alike. When the paper pattern is finished cut the top drapery from the unbleached muslin allowing two inches extra at the top of the drapery for a hem. Turn it down by hand so that the stitches will show as little as possible on the right side. The inside edges and bottom of the side curtain and the lower edge of the top drapery are now faced with colored gingham or other plain colored material. Rose

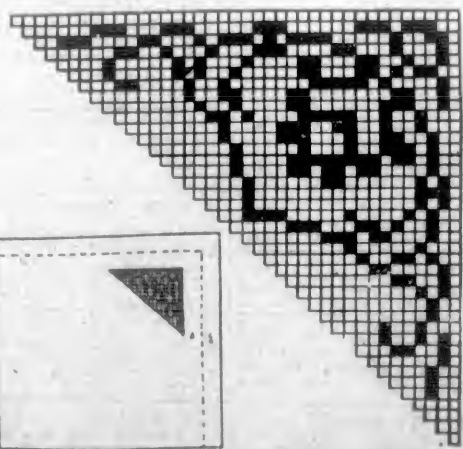


color or blue both give good effect. Cut bias strips of the gingham, and put it on as a facing on the right side of the curtain. The facing should be about an inch wide, and is stitched flat to the curtains very close to the edge. The little round medallion at the top of the drapery is cut from a piece of cretonne. Cut out some attractive figures from a piece of cretonne having colors to harmonize with the gingham facing. Applique this piece to the centre of the top piece as shown in the sketch. The edge of the cretonne may be

turned in and then stitched flat to the curtain or it may be sewed in buttonhole stitches made far apart with heavy thread.

This drapery is hung on a double rod. The side curtains are hung on the lower rod, and the top drapery on the top rod. The rods should be the kind which have curved ends extending around the window casing at the sides. The top drapery has the rod slipped through the hem at the top. This top piece must, of course, fit smoothly on the rod with no fullness.

### FILET DESIGN FOR A CARD TABLE COVER



The filet corner is to be inserted in a card table cover. For the cover a piece of linen a yard square will be necessary. Hemstitch a two inch hem all around this square. Mark four filet corners like the pattern given here using number 50 crochet

wool, and insert these corners in the four corners of the cover in the position indicated in the little sketch. This sketch shows only one finished corner of the cover. The filet corners are inserted with a buttonhole stitch, and the material cut away close to the buttonhole on the under side.

### COMMUNIST AGENTS EVOLVE NEW PLAN

LONDON, Sept. 20.—Communist agents in Europe have received orders relative to the unemployment crisis, according to information from Scandinavia, by which they are instructed to ask for unemployment bonuses from municipalities on the principle that the amount granted shall equal average weekly or daily wages.

The orders explain that the object of the scheme is to "camouflage the subversive activity on the communist youth, to weaken municipal finances and to convince workers that it pays to be unemployed."

Standard Time at Ottawa  
OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—Ottawa went back to standard time at midnight tonight.

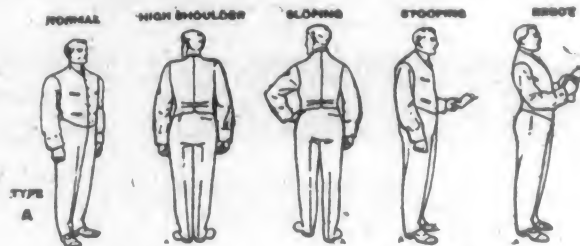
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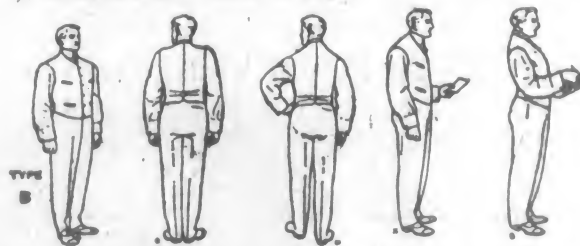
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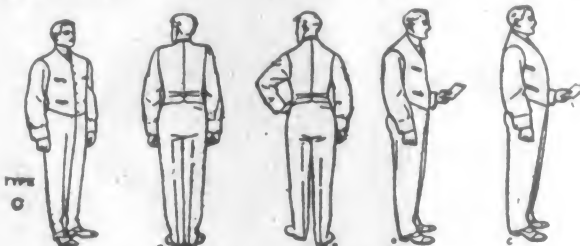
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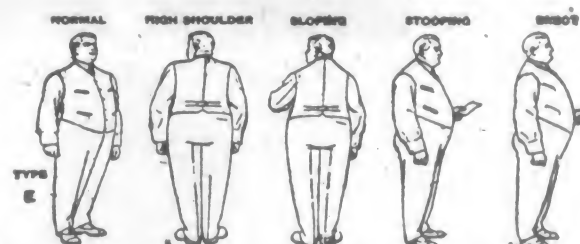
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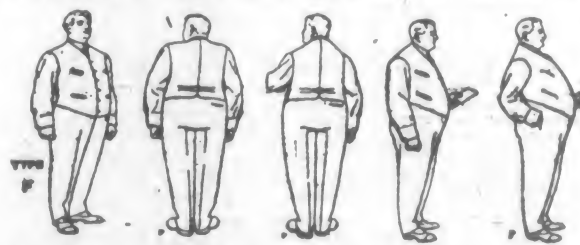
Type B Suits and Overcoats are designed for regular fellows—the average man whose height varies from 5 feet 4 1/2 inches to 5 feet 10 inches, with breast measures from 33 to 46 inches.



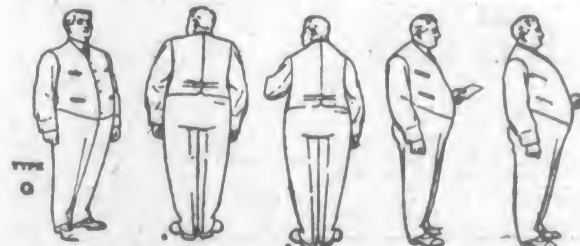
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Type F Suits are for the Average Man who has grown stouter than Type B; Men from 5 feet 5 inches to 6 feet in height with breast measures up to 50 inches.



G Type Suits are for Men who are tall and of weight above the average. The coat designs are for men from 5 feet 11 inches tall to 6 feet 4 1/2 inches, and both breast and waist measures are designed in proportion from 41 to 52 inches.

### The Physique Type Variations

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# AMUSEMENTS

## FUNNIEST COMEDY AT ROYAL VICTORIA

"Tootlums" to be Presented  
By Popular English Comedian  
and Choice Selection of  
Actors Tomorrow

"Tootlums," the funniest comedy ever presented by the funniest English comedian, and certainly the most popular who ever captured hearts in Canada and the United States, will be presented here at the Royal Victoria Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 3rd and 4th.

This is the first appearance of a new play in Canada, and audiences join in pronouncing it just as bright and refreshing as "The Earl of Pawtucket," in which Mr. D'Orsay achieved the height of his fame on this continent. "Tootlums" is presented by a 1921 organization known as Anglo-Canadian Comedians, Limited, of which Mr. D'Orsay is principal, and is booked as the first of the play featuring greatest stars of the modern stage which is the aim of Trans-Canada Theatres, Limited. Certainly success of the venture is assured if the plays and players following are equal in merit to "Tootlums" and Mr. Lawrence D'Orsay.

A remarkably strong support is given to the great comedian, so that the play may be presented in the finest manner possible. Miss Maud Henderson was leading lady with Forbes Robertson in "The Passing of the Third Floor Back." Miss George Rushmore starred in "The Sign of the Cross." Miss Kitty Coleman was picked from hundreds of competitors for the part of Mrs. Crosby in "The 13th Chair." Ernest Eilton was leading man with Otis Skinner. These are among the leading characters, and the result will be, as already established during the tour so far, a brilliant performance.

## CONWAY TEARLE IS NEW SELZNICK STAR

Appears at Capitol Theatre  
This Week in "The Road  
Among Musical Attractions

A new star announcement of great significance to the great theatre-going public comes from the headquarters of Selznick Pictures and is to the effect that Conway Tearle is now a stellar light of that great photoplay producing organization.

Mr. Tearle has been appearing as leading man in Selznick Pictures and through his excellent work and also by popular demand he has become a star in his own right. This announcement, coupled with that of the Capitol Theatre, which states that Mr. Tearle's first stellar vehicle, "The Road Among Musical Attractions," is being produced at this theatre tomorrow, should be of more than usual interest to local photoplay fans.

Mr. Tearle was one of the most popular leading men in the industry. That he will be even more popular as a star is freely predicted. He brings to the screen a wealth of experience gained both here and abroad in the spoken drama. In support of such stars as Sir Charles Wyndham, Ethel Barrymore, Grace George, Viola Allen and Billie Burke. One of his first screen appearances was with Clara Kimball Young in "The Common Law," and which was followed in rapid succession by such big hits as "The Reason Why," "An Innocent Vamp," "She Loves and Lies," "Marooned Hearts" and others. Mr. Tearle's rise to a stellar position was to be expected by anyone who had watched his work on the screen.

Senior Dor, an operatic tenor of note, will be one of the musical attractions on this week's bill. His magnificent voice and artistic singing will be sure to delight Victoria audiences. Victor with his piano accompaniment will again present novelty musical numbers, among which will be the Ratschinsky Rag, a new popular hit.

Sir Gilbert Parker, who for the past year has been at the Paramount studio, Hollywood, engaged in the preparation of stories and scenarios for Paramount production, has left Hollywood for New York, whence he will sail for London for a visit. Just before leaving California Sir Gilbert completed, in collaboration with Eugene Mullin, an adaptation of his novel, "The Lane That Has No Turning," which will be Agnes Ayres' first Paramount starring picture. He will return to Hollywood late in the fall.

Asparagus is one of the oldest culinary vegetables.

## AMUSEMENTS TOMORROW

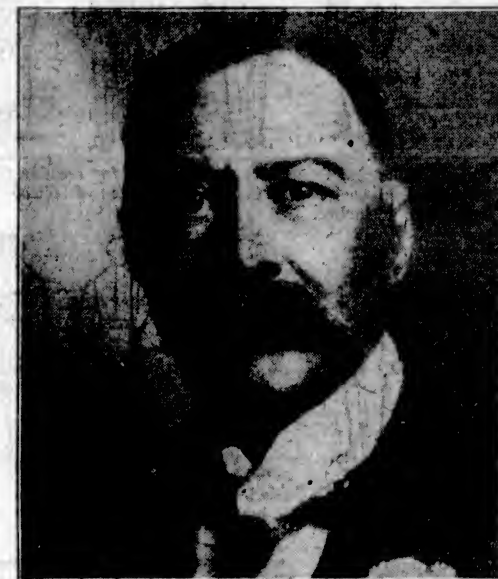
The Stage  
Royal—Lawrence D'Orsay in "Tootlums."  
The Screen  
Variety—Charles Chaplin in "The Kid."  
Columbia—The Mist Wife.  
Dominion—The Affairs of Anatol.  
Capitol—The Road to Ambition.

## ALICE LAKE PLAYS A SOCIAL OUTSIDER

Brilliant Young Actress to be  
Seen as Katie Malloy, in  
"The Mist Wife"—a Metro  
Film

"The Mist Wife," the new Metro production which is showing at the Columbia Theatre, with Alice Lake in

## At Royal Victoria on Monday



LAWRENCE D'ORSAY,  
The Noted English Comedian, With an All-English Company in "Tootlums," at the Royal Victoria Theatre Monday and Tuesday Evenings.

the leading role, is an adaptation of the successful stage play, "The Outsider," by Julie Herne.

Miss Lake will be seen as Katie Malloy, a laundress who loses her job through burning a hole in a silk shirt and who sets out on a career as a manicurist in the rough town of Paria, Wyo. There she meets Peter Crandall, a New Yorker who has come West to take up Prohibition in a serious way, but who becomes daily more frivolous about it. Paria, Wyoming, affords little else in the way of diversion.

Peter aids Katie in side-tracking Shad Perkins, the offensive proprietor of the local hotel. And Katie takes Peter in hand. She becomes more interested in him than drink or cards. When he's thoroughly reformed they are married.

His parents ask him to bring his wife home. It means a strange environment for Katie, the New York house, of footmen, tea-wagons and Harvard accents, but she braves it out. Only Peter's step-mother proves unsympathetic. She resents Katie's "back of breeding," tells her she's a "mist," that she "never really could belong."

The little manœuvre's dramatic assault upon the affections of her husband's family is then developed into a winning fight, with the East capitulating before the Western girl's straightforward methods.

Alice Lake, whose memorable performances in "Should a Woman Tell?" and "Rhore Acres" place her among the most brilliant of the younger screen actresses, will have a splendid opportunity as Katie. Others in the cast include Forrest Stanley as Peter Crandall, Jack Livingston as Bert McKenna, a New York man-about-town, Graham Pettie as Shad Perkins, Edward Martindale as Peter's father, and Helen Pillsbury, Billy Gettiner, Frederick Vroom, Leola Lorraine and Jim Blackwell.

## THRILLING SCENES IN DOMINION CAST

"The Affairs of Anatol" One  
of Best Productions—Too  
Much Honey in the Honey-  
moon

When a man is kept waiting an hour for breakfast while his wife is enjoying an ultra-luxurious toilette, he is more than apt to get sore. That is why Anatol DeWitt Spencer was puffed and when Vivian, his wife, sought to mollify him with kisses, his anger grew. But Vivian did not reflect that there might be too much "honey in the honeymoon," or perhaps she might have acted differently.

At the famous Green Room Cafe, where Anatol, Vivian and Max Ruyon, a family friend, were dining, Anatol recognizes in Emilie Dixon, a thoughtless young woman and protégée of Gordon Bronson, a wealthy reeve, a companion of his school days. When he learned the truth, he tries to reform her by providing her with a richly appointed apartment. When she kisses him, he obtains from her a

promise to throw the gems given her by Bronson into the river. She hides the jewelry and together they cast the empty cases into the river, and Emilie proceeds to make merry with her friends, at which champagne flows freely.

Anatol interrupts the festivities, orders the guests to disperse and wrecks Emilie's apartment. As Emilie returns to Bronson, Anatol takes Vivian into the country where they might be free from hypocrisy and fraud and where Anatol can make his mark as a man.

Simultaneously with the announcement of the departure from the city of Miss Mary Izard, who left last week for Winnipeg, Edmonton and other prairie points, to fill concert engagements, comes the news that Mr. Drury Pryce, late of Kelowna, has arrived in the city, and on Wednesday next will start violin classes at the Princess Theatre.

Building formerly occupied by Miss Izard.

Mr. Pryce came to Canada from Leeds, England, about eight years ago, owing to ill-health, and it was less than a year ago that he began to identify himself with the musical life of Kelowna, where he had come to live. As musical director of the Kelowna Operatic Society he has done a great deal to rouse interest in the art in that community, among the scholars of the organization being the successful production a few months ago of the tuncful Gilbert & Sullivan opera, "The Yeomen of the Guard."

Mr. Pryce has been teaching the violin during the past year, and hopes to find in Victoria an even bigger field for his energies.

His musical experience is manifold. After leaving the Guildhall School of Music in London (where he studied with Alfred Gibson) he took an active part in teaching and playing. He was concert master of the Crystal Palace Orchestra, and of the City of London Orchestra, and has himself played violin solo in the Crystal Palace, St. James' Hall, and other well-known auditoriums in the English metropolis. He is liberal in the love of "anything that is really artistic," whether it be old or new.

There is a lot of modern rubbish—and a lot of modern gems, he argues. Jazz, he maintains, is "rank poison." "Victoria may have the pleasure of hearing Mr. Pryce in the quite near future, as he intends giving a recital within a week or two. He contemplates forming a string quartet with a view to starting a series of chamber music recitals. In London he led no less than three quartets for several years, while at the same time he was a violinist in the orchestra.

Mr. Pryce returned last Wednesday to Kelowna to make arrangements for the bringing of his wife and family to Victoria, and will be back in the city in time to start his classes next Wednesday.

Toast drinking originated in the reign of Charles II when a celebrated beauty was publicly bathing and an admirer took a glass of water from the pool in which she stood and drank to her health.

reconciled and happy.  
The Dominion musical and vocal presentations are exceptionally good this week. Miss Eva Hart, Victoria's most popular soprano, will contribute two good vocal numbers. The musical programme is in the capable hands of Handley Wells, organist, and Miss Irvine, pianist, and will be sure to please Dominion patrons.

## TETRAZZINI GREETED BY ENTHUSIASTIC CROWDS IN LONDON

Madame Tetrazzini made her re-appearance in London last Sunday afternoon at the Albert Hall, and a crowded audience gave her an enthusiastic welcome. Many bouquets were presented to her, and she sang several encores.

Tetrazzini's departure from the hall was the occasion for wild excitement among her admirers. They clung to her car, and the chauffeur could not drive off until a magnificent bouquet of pink and white tiger lilies was tossed into the eager hands of the crowd.

Tetrazzini placed a wreath of laurels upon her head for all to see. Ten minutes after her departure groups of women were still gathering up the trampled petals from the roadway.

## CHAPLIN HITS THE HIGH COMEDY SPOT

Appears for First Time in a  
Feature Length Picture—  
Most Enjoyable Chaplin  
Film Shown

At the Variety all week, starting Monday, Charlie Chaplin has hit the big spot in delightful entertainment in his first attempt at a feature length picture, "The Kid," which is the title he has given the story, which he has written himself, is to us, the most enjoyable Chaplin film we have ever seen. In the first place it simply bubbles over with laughter and the situations are so human that you do not feel foolish because you are laughing. Again, it is long enough so that it provides a whole evening's entertainment in itself.

Had some one told us before we saw "The Kid" that we could be convinced that the character which Charlie has always represented on the screen could be presented in such a way that we could visualize him as a living, breathing, mortal, we would have been inclined to doubt. But several times during the course of "The Kid" this comedian made us swallow a lump in our throats and wipe real tears of sympathy from our eyes by the pathos of his acting, and before our handkerchief was back in our pocket it was needed again to dry our cheeks of the tears caused by the shrieks of laughter from the antics of the same actor.

As a comedy the production is a winner, as a dramatic production it ranks high. But the strongest appeal, this First National six reels of joy made to us was to bring the realization that Charlie Chaplin is not a clown, but one of the most consummate actors on the screen today.

## NEW VIOLINIST HAD LONDON EXPERIENCES

Mr. Drury Pryce Starting  
Classes This Week in Studio  
Vacated by Miss Izard—  
Studied at Guildhall School

Simultaneously with the announcement of the departure from the city of Miss Mary Izard, who left last week for Winnipeg, Edmonton and other prairie points, to fill concert engagements, comes the news that Mr. Drury Pryce, late of Kelowna, has arrived in the city, and on Wednesday next will start violin classes at the Princess Theatre.

Building formerly occupied by Miss Izard.

Mr. Pryce came to Canada from Leeds, England, about eight years ago, owing to ill-health, and it was less than a year ago that he began to identify himself with the musical life of Kelowna, where he had come to live. As musical director of the Kelowna Operatic Society he has done a great deal to rouse interest in the art in that community, among the scholars of the organization being the successful production a few months ago of the tuncful Gilbert & Sullivan opera, "The Yeomen of the Guard."

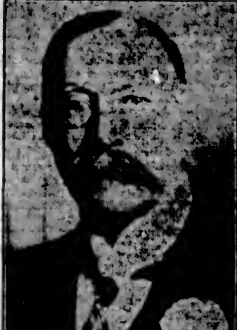
Mr. Pryce has been teaching the violin during the past year, and hopes to find in Victoria an even bigger field for his energies.

His musical experience is manifold. After leaving the Guildhall School of Music in London (where he studied with Alfred Gibson) he took an active part in teaching and playing. He was concert master of the Crystal Palace Orchestra, and of the City of London Orchestra, and has himself played violin solo in the Crystal Palace, St. James' Hall, and other well-known auditoriums in the English metropolis. He is liberal in the love of "anything that is really artistic," whether it be old or new.

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Monday, Wednesday and Thursday

### MILDRED PAGE TO OFFER "AS WE ARE"

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Wednesday Evening and After

On Wednesday night at the Princess Theatre is to be seen a particularly interesting entertainment, which is sure to delight the Princess patrons. "As We Are" is a new form of play, one written around the home life and personality of the Players themselves, and the feature of the offering will be a real vaudeville show by the clever and versatile company.

There will be presented in this cleverly arranged programme a sketch written by Mr. Alden and played here for the first time on any stage. Mr. Alden will play the lead in this sketch, assisted by Miss Page and Mr. Thom. The rest of the programme will be divided among the other members of the company, and from the preparations going on it promises to be something well worth seeing.

The play begins on Wednesday night and continues the balance of the week, with the usual matinee Saturday. Little folks should not forget the "As We Are" contest; the prize has grown to \$50. That is worth trying for.

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## GOLD MONOPOLY MUST MEAN WORLD DISASTER

Famous English Editor Holds  
That America Can Save Civ-  
ilization by Giving Back to  
Europe Basic Currency

Today we have a terrible trade slump, terrible unemployment. Why? Not because of want of production—for the super-production ramp of 1919 nearly swamped us—but because we cannot sell. Europe cannot buy, and the reason is the mad exchanges, says Mr. Austin Harrison, editor of The English Review, in a recent issue of The Sunday Pictorial.

It is an extraordinary position. Here is all Europe in want of nearly everything this country makes, and here are we gaily too anxious to sell the stuff. And yet—nothing happens. What we produce becomes a glut, thence the periodic shop sales.

There is no purchasing power, and the fault lies in the world's economic mechanism.

The world trades on credit, and the symptom or barometer of credit is the exchange of a country, which is roughly regulated by the theory of the gold standard. And here we have the key to the mystery.

Nearly all the gold has gone to America—Europe functions on paper. Hence the barometer of anchorage of a country's credit is upset.

Britain has no gold. Mexico is full of gold. We cannot trade because Ireland has to pay 2,000 marks for the sovereign or 1400; the Czechs and Germans pay 115 for 11; the Italians 14 for 11; and so on, Russia being quite out of the picture. We ourselves lose on the exchange when trading with America.

Does it matter? It matters so much that unless something drastic is soon done all Europe must shortly go into bankruptcy, with what hideous results no man, I fancy, would care to prophesy.

Our trade slump is three parts due to this curious position, and we are declining, absolutely growing poorer, just at the time when we should be selling to the world like madmen. Now can there be any real trade recovery until Europe can buy. But Europe cannot buy. The exchanges are all depreciating.

Mountains of paper money are accumulating everywhere, which are unfundable, unconvertible, just paper, which must end on the bonfire.

What is going to happen? One of two things. We either return to the gold basis or we get a new gold standard. The alternative is European bankruptcy. Our difficulty is not only that we cannot sell, but that all nations with mad currencies can undersell us, as we see in the case of Germany. Suppose we jack up a tariff. Germany prints more money, and down falls her exchange, which enables her to underquote us always and anywhere. That is why we have no tremendous slump in our industries.

Gold vs. Paper  
What is going on is a race—the nations on gold versus the nations on paper. Now, the gold standard is only an artificial one. We might have a wheat standard or silver standard.

No living man can tell who is going to win. But this we can foresee. If Europe is not to go bankrupt and Britain is to sell her goods, then Europe must be restored to a gold basis or we shall all, whether we want or not, drift from paper to more paper until one by one the nations become bankrupt and civilization goes down like a pack of cards.

That is why Americans, who have three-fourths of all the gold, are becoming very anxious. Although they possess over 1,000,000,000 in gold, they have nearly 6,000,000 unemployed—a higher percentage than we have in this country. They, too, are debating, are stumping, are growling. They are making the discovery, which is an astonishing paradox, that because they have all the gold, therefore they cannot sell; that actually this gold is of no earthly use to them.

British bankers have known that a long time, but for some strange reason the Americans apparently thought gold was static wealth. As a fact, gold is only valuable when it circulates, the world's economic mechanism depending upon the balance, not in the least upon the miner's cave stuffed with pieces of gold. And so there is a pretty lively panic across the ocean. A tremendous lesson is being brought home to Americans; namely, that gold is only wealth when it flows and credit is only real when it circulates; in short, that credit is interdependent.

The more gold America puts away in her bank cellars, the less she can trade, because without gold European exchanges slump. With an adverse exchange a nation cannot buy from America or anyone else.

What does this mean? It means simply that America is up against the choice of letting Europe go small or, giving Europe back her gold.

If America wants to sell to Europe,

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This evening a service of praise will be held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, for which the choir have prepared the following programme of music:

- (a) "Andante Con Moto in E" . . . . . Guilmant
- (b) "Cantabile Pastorale" . . . . . Guilmant
- Anthem—"O Lord, How Manifold" . . . . . Guilmant
- Solo—"The Psalmist" . . . . . Van der Water
- Mrs. Jessie Longfield
- Anthem—"Praise Our God, Ye People" . . . . . E. V. Hall
- Soloist, Miss Pearl Hayman
- Solo—"Come Unto Me" . . . . . Coenen
- Mrs. R. G. Morrison

### ROSH HASHANA CALLS FOR MANY CHICKENS

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The Jewish New Year, beginning at sunset Sunday, was said by food experts to be responsible for the record supply of 1,848,715 live chickens, brought to New York from the West in the last six days.

The weight of the poultry was estimated at more than 4,450,000 pounds, and its wholesale value about \$2,000,000. The experts figured that the birds cost the consumers \$2,900,000.

### REX BEACH TELLS OF NORTH'S MENACE

Theme of "The North Wind's Malice," Showing on Royal Victoria Screen on Wednesday, Is Distinctly Unusual

When Rex Beach was prospecting for gold in the Klondike quite a few years ago, he returned without so much as a grain of the precious dust. But he found something infinitely more to be treasured. He struck a mine of literature which has yielded the American public a phenomenally rich trove of stories, books and photographs.

One of the greatest motion pictures that ever came from Rex Beach's pen is "The North Wind's Malice," a story cast in the frozen heart of Alaska in the romantic days of the gold rush.

The theme of "The North Wind's Malice" is distinctly unusual. Mr. Beach tells of the dread winter of upper Alaska which depends upon the country like an avenging spirit, shrouding the land in its frozen pall.

The furious cold shuts men and women up tight in their cabins and grinds into their minds a terrible despair—the grim spectre of monotony. In this atmosphere, trivial incidents are exaggerated beyond their importance, and rage flames up on the slightest provocation.

This is the thrilling background for the wonderful story told in "The North Wind's Malice"—a story of love, adventure, furious revenge and golden romance.

Don't miss this memorable picture. It will be shown for four days, beginning Wednesday, at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

News on Golf Links  
SINGAPORE, Oct. 1.—W. H. Mack, a druggist, of Port Roman, Ontario, died suddenly on the Golf links last night.

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### "AFFAIRS OF ANATOL" BREAKS RECORDS IN THREE BIG CITIES

Movie attendance records in New York, Washington and Chicago were broken last week at the premier showing of Cecil B. DeMille's twelve-star Paramount picture, "The Affairs of Anatol."

At the Jivall and Rialto Theatres in New York, where the picture was shown simultaneously, all previous attendance records were broken. The paid attendance at the Rialto was 10,164, larger by 224 than for the single day's record held by "Ev."

Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," with John Barrymore. The attendance at the Jivall reached 9,959 for the day, and it was estimated that at least 25,000 people were turned away from the theatres.

In Washington the picture broke the record set by the showing of "Humoresque" a year ago. The same thing happened at Chicago.

These three cities were the only ones to see "The Affairs of Anatol" in advance of its release date, September 25, and the success scored leads Paramount to believe that it will prove the greatest box office attraction in the history of the screen. This film is showing at the Dominion Theatre tomorrow.



## Sings at Theatre's Reopening



MISS EVA HART, Victoria's popular soprano, who will sing at the reopening of the Dominion Theatre tomorrow and for the remainder of the week. Miss Hart has just returned from Duncan, where she sang with much success at the Cabaret on Friday night in aid of the King's Daughters' Hospital.

BATTLE OF JUTLAND  
EXHIBITED ON SCREEN

Wonderfully Accurate Reproduction of Great Naval Engagement Has Been Shown in London

The London Times has the following to say of a film exhibited in London:

The film of the Battle of Jutland, which has taken three years in preparation, has been produced at a private view at the Shaftesbury Pavilion, given by the directors of Ideal Film, Limited. It is unquestionably an admirably and striking representation of the varying phases of the great naval battle, clearly and dramatically put on the screen.

The aim of the producers has been to reconstruct the greatest of modern naval battles, and to make the relative movements of the forces engaged, and the progress of the action, easy for spectators to follow, while at the same time the human interest is not lost sight of.

By the use of pictures and portraits, the outstanding episodes of the battle are included and the gallant acts associated with the names of the V.C.'s—the late Major F. J. W. Harvey, of the Lion; Commander the Hon. R. B. Bingham, of the destroyer Nestor; the late Commander Loftus Jones, who fought the destroyer Shark until she sank under him with colors flying; and Jack Cornwall, who died on the deck of the light cruiser Chester. Most striking and dramatic are the spectacles presented by the model ships in action. By an ingenious arrangement, they fire their guns, make searchlight signals, become wreathed in smoke, blow up, or are enveloped in flames and sink. The tracks of the torpedoes fired from the destroyers may be traced, hit or miss, and in the night action the destruction of the German ships by

mine or torpedo is depicted in realistic fashion.

## Salient Features of Battle

Interest will doubtless be directed to certain salient features of the engagement—how the two fleets, unknown to one another, were making for exactly the same position; the circumstances of contact, and the German commander's mistake in taking Hood's battle-cruisers for Jellicoe's main fleet, the seemingly erratic and aimless movements of the German ships, here clearly shown to have been forced on them by the various moves of the British commanders; and how the German fleet, battered and beaten, escaped, after dark, owing to the proximity of its minefields, by crossing the stars of Jellicoe's ships as they proceeded to take up a position for renewing the fight on the morning of June 1. All these operations are exhibited in detail, with many spectacular effects. In fact, the only prominent omission appears to be the departure of Tyrwhitt's force from Harwich, and its recall.

Speaking at a luncheon which followed the exhibition of the film, Sir George Aston said that historically the film was absolutely true and would confirm throughout history the glorious spirit of the British Navy, which did not fail it at the Battle of Jutland.

Sir Percy Scott said he had often expressed the opinion that no naval officer, except perhaps Captain Harcourt, would ever know anything about the Battle of Jutland until it was filmed. As regards the truthfulness of the film, the fact that it was connected with the name of Sir George Aston was sufficient guarantee. It was arranged very cleverly, and nobody's feelings would be hurt. Certainly none of the admirals could complain. It had, however, left out one little thing, which he would not have minded the feelings of the Admiralty being hurt about at all, and that was the recall of the Harwich destroyer flotilla, which would have put a very different complexion on the battle the next morning. If the Harwich fleet had come out at full speed and fully supplied with torpedoes, it would have been a very different story. (A voice—"They could not have got to us in time.")

WALTER HAMPDEN'S  
TWO LEADING WOMEN

Miss Moore and Miss Hall and Miss Elsie Herndon Kearns, Will Support the Famous Actor.

Walter Hampden will have two leading women during his transcontinental Shakespearean tour this season. Mabel Moore and Mary Hall, both of whom have occupied the same positions in his company for three years. Miss Moore will play Ophelia in "Hamlet," Juliet in "Romeo and Juliet," Desdemona in "Othello," and Mary in Charles Rann Kennedy's "The Servant in the House," while Miss Hall will appear as Portia in "The Merchant of Venice," Katharine in "The Taming of the Shrew," the Queen in "Hamlet," and Lady Macbeth. Another actress who will be prominent in Mr. Hampden's support is Elsie Herndon Kearns, who will enact such important roles as Nerissa in "The Merchant of Venice," Emilia in "Othello," the Nurse in "Romeo and Juliet," the Player Queen in "Hamlet," the first witch in "Macbeth," and Auntie in "The Servant in the House."

On the masculine side Mr. Hampden will again have the assistance of such talented and experienced classic actors as Ernest Rewan, Allen Thomas, LeRoy Opert, Edward

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Cushman, William Sauter and Hannan Clark. A large measure of Mr. Hampden's success has been due to his having kept his organization practically intact from year to year, so that, by constantly playing together, that smoothness and ease of performance has been achieved which is necessary for artistic interpretation.

ELINOR GLYN WRITES  
ANOTHER STORY FOR  
GLORIA SWANSON

Elinor Glyn, author of "Three Weeks," who wrote "The Great Moment," Gloria Swanson's first starring picture for Paramount, has written another original for Miss Swanson. "Beyond the Rocks" is the title. Sam Wood, who directed Miss Swanson in "The Great Moment," also will have charge of the direction. "Beyond the Rocks" will follow in production "The Husband's Trade," the Clara Beranger story which Miss Swanson will start as soon as she returns to California from her visit in New York. Lowell Sherman has been engaged as the leading man for the last named picture.



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FIRST "LITTLE EVA"  
STILL YOUNG AT 73

Mrs. Cordelia Howard MacDonald Recalls Distinctly First Dramatization of "Uncle Tom's Cabin"

BOSTON, Oct. 1.—Mrs. Cordelia Howard MacDonald, the original "Little Eva" of the first dramatic production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," has just had a birthday at her home in Cambridge. Mrs. MacDonald is 73. She made her debut as "Little Eva" at 4 at the Museum, Troy, N. Y., on September 27, 1852. Her father, George C. Howard, then manager of the Museum, was instrumental in having "Uncle Tom's Cabin" dramatized, and gave the first performance in his theatre, taking a part himself, that of "St. Clare," the Southern planter. It is said, too, that the play was dramatized to display the abilities of little Cordelia, which were marked for her age. The personality which moved audiences is still retained practically undiminished by the original "Little Eva." It is rather a wifely one, certainly determined, but charming. Her crown of hair is white and the kind that sets off her fine eyes. The cast of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" as produced by the Howards was largely a family affair. Mrs. Howard played "Topsy," and Mrs. Howard's mother, Mrs. Emily Fox, was "Ophelia." Two nephews of Mrs. Fox, George and Frank Aiken,

also had parts, and to George Aiken fell the task of dramatizing Harriet Beecher Stowe's book.

FILM PLUS SERMON  
NEW PULPIT MOVE

The relationship between motion pictures and the church and the value of the good photoplay vehicle as a moral agency were demonstrated in an interesting way recently, when the pastor of the First Congregational Church in Los Angeles preached his Sunday sermon.

SAYS NEW ZEALAND  
ENJOYS PROSPERITY

LONDON, Oct. 1.—A Reuter dispatch from Auckland quotes Premier Massey as stating that no other country which had participated in the war was so prosperous as New Zealand. He hoped the country would turn the corner of depression before next winter. He said that New Zealand's credit, in the opinion of London bankers, was higher than that of almost any other part of the Empire, with the exception of Great Britain herself. He had been reliably informed that if New Zealand wanted

money, Wall Street would be glad to lend it, but he did not think it would be necessary to go outside the Empire. He pointed out that the German reparations would be forthcoming and New Zealand would receive a million and a half pounds a year for thirty-

seven years. Speaking of disarmament, the Premier said there were some difficulties because three nations were building powerful battleships. He would like to think they would be scrapped, but was doubtful on this score.

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# Motoring on Vancouver Island

## WELL-KNOWN MOTOR FIRMS AMALGAMATE

The Revercomb Motor Company and Kilpatrick-Moryson Motor Company, Ltd., Now Under One Roof

The Revercomb Motor Company and the Kilpatrick-Moryson Motor Company, Limited, two of Victoria's leading automobile firms, have amalgamated, making one of the most complete automobile organizations in Western Canada. The new firm will be known as the Revercomb Motors, Limited.

The personnel of the new firm is as follows:  
Managing Director, W. B. Revercomb;  
Secretary, C. E. Revercomb;  
Assistant Secretary, C. O. R. Kilpatrick;  
Sales Manager, T. A. Moryson;  
Stock Department, W. E. Revercomb;  
Shop Foreman, Louis Nelson;  
Service Department, "Billie" Melville.

The amalgamation of the two firms, which was announced yesterday, will come as a big surprise to the automobile trade. The Revercomb Motor Company is one of Victoria's oldest automobile firms, having been in business here for over eleven years. The Kilpatrick-Moryson Motor Company, Limited, started business in Victoria in November last year and has since been growing by leaps and bounds. "We are going to have one of the most complete organizations under one roof in Western Canada," declared Managing Director, Walter Revercomb yesterday. "Prospects for the future look exceedingly bright. The automobile market has been picking up constantly the past month and it looks as if we are going to have a real busy winter."

## MANY AUTOMOBILES BEING SOLD NOW

Price Stability Has Placed the Auto Industry on Solid Basis—Most Cars at Pre-War Prices

Buying of automobile vehicles continues to show gains at this season, heretofore usually characterized by a gradual slowing up of demand, particularly in passenger cars.

Closely related to the automobile industry is the situation of the motor vehicle industry as a whole. It is a strong and sustained period of purchasing which will last until cold weather arrives. While other industries are still floundering in the mire of transition, the motor car business has reached the solid ground of price stability and is in an excellent position to make real progress before the year closes.

"One factor which is having a profound effect on the situation is the revived feeling of optimism which has come over the agricultural provinces," asserts one of the industry's authorities on his return from his periodic "swing around the circle" recently.

"For a while many business men in the agricultural field insisted they could hear the sheriff's rattle 'forced sales' on the front page," he continued. "But now they have reached the conclusion that the worst is over and that hard work will not only pull them through, but leave them a margin besides. Instead of bringing their automobiles into the pits to sell for any price they could get, they are taking now of buying new cars."

**Encouraging Sign**  
Another encouraging sign of the times, according to some, is the growing demand for motor trucks. These in fact, the demand for commercial motor vehicles is one of the best barometers of general business conditions, and that an increase in this demand is a sure indication that business generally is on the up-grade.

"When business reaches the stagnation point trucks are laid up because there is nothing for them to do," it is asserted. "As soon as business begins to pick up, motor trucks are put into service, because transportation is one of the first essentials of progress in commerce and industry."

With motor car production ahead of most other lines, with the high standards of wages here as compared with other countries and with the continued increase in the national wealth of Canada, the future of the motor industry is sound.

"The motor vehicle as a producer of wealth is continually increasing the potential buying power of the country. The government figures for the last year of years, the period of the rise of the motor vehicle, show a vast increase in wealth."

"Better transportation undoubtedly played a large part in the phenomenal increase in value."

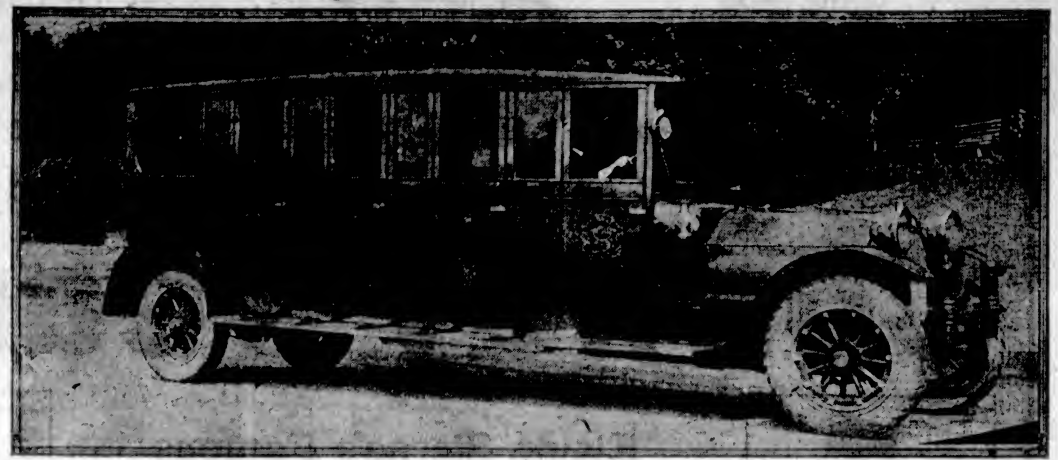
## ENGLAND SOON TO BE WITHOUT SPEED LIMIT

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Country people are awaiting with joy the removal of the speed limit in England.

Week-ends at present are busy periods in the rural districts. Motor-cycles, bicycles, runabouts, touring cars and the whizzing "buggerbusts" of char-a-bancs with their twenty or forty passengers proceed along the narrow lanes of the green English countryside.

Nobody knows what's going to happen when, as planned during the next few weeks, the speed limit is withdrawn and police court charges against offending motorists become "reckless" instead of merely "fast" driving.

## Fast Motor Stage Between Vancouver and Seattle



In all parts of the Dominion, especially in the East, the fast automobile stage is rapidly coming to the fore, and in some places it is running in strong competition with the local train. The above stage is of the very latest type, and is now running between Vancouver and Seattle, making the trip of 175 miles in seven hours. This 20-passenger stage is fitted with a driver's compartment and smoking compartment, trimmed in leather, and a ladies' compartment lavishly trimmed in plush. The body is mounted on a Pierce-Arrow chassis. This palatial stage was built for the Terminal City Motor Company, of Vancouver, by John Meston & Company, local carriage builders.

## Highway Transportation to Prove Big Stabilizing Factor

World's Economic Condition Will Force Realignment of Transportation Facilities—Commerce Is Awakening to Manifest Advantages of the Motor Truck

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—"World economic conditions have brought about a readjustment of commodity values everywhere," declared P. W. Fenn, secretary, National Motor Truck Committee, National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, in an address before the directors of the Canadian National Exhibition. "A buyers' market is at hand; costs must be hewn to the line. One of the old fundamental theories of successful merchandising that is being recognized today, therefore, more than ever before, is a quick turnover of stock; because this permits any margin of profit, quick and economical transportation must be provided.

"This is a plea, therefore, for the development and the fostering of motor transportation in the name of lower prices and a better knit Canada," continued Mr. Fenn. "Futurists of commercial prestige can only be heard when the people of Canada are awakened to the possibilities presented by the development of a motor transport system. Every dollar invested in the improvement of your highways will be a pledge of honor to the future commercial greatness and security of your country. The highways in the provinces will always be the main arteries for commerce and defence.

**World Awakening**  
"The world is just awakening to the manifold advantages of highway transportation; evidence is to be had on every hand. Farmers show a gain of 48 per cent in their individual efficiency as a result of the adoption of the automobiles as a part of their transportation equipment. The extensive utilization of motor trucks by the eight railroads entering Cincinnati, Ohio, made possible the release for the main line movement of 300,000 switching cuts; the advancement of the freight movement, 52 hours, and a saving of 20 per cent in labor through the elimination of the rehandling of tonnage.

**A Tremendous Factor**  
"Almost over night the motor truck has become a tremendous factor in the distribution of our nation's food supply. Think of 6,800 head of hogs, valued at \$200,000, being hauled into Indianapolis stockyards in one day by 180 motor trucks. St. Joseph, Mo., is receiving 3,000 per day, while Omaha, Neb., received over 187,000 in one year. In these times of high living costs the saving of 43 cents per hog, or a total of \$13,760 a year delivered at the stockyards, is a big item. This is what is happening at St. Louis, as 1,000 hogs are moved across the Mississippi River, hog slaughtering day.

"The bureau of crop estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture discovered, after an exhaustive series of experiments with horse and motor-drawn vehicles, that the motor-drawn vehicle traveled 18 per cent longer distance; made 18 per cent more round trips; carried 48 per cent more corn, 50 per cent more wheat, and 83 per cent more cotton. This work was done at 45 per cent, 50 per cent, and 57 per cent of the ton-mile cost of wagon hauled corn, wheat and cotton respectively.

**The Power Farmer**  
"The day of the power farmer is at hand. It is to him that you must turn in the Dominion's cry for greater production. For food will be the greatest factor in world economics for many years to come; it is the mainstay of human action. The golden age of ample food for a minimum of effort has passed.

"The decision of the Milwaukee Street Railway Company to utilize motor buses in the extension of its services into new districts is perhaps a forecast of the possible trend in this field of operation. Hitherto street car companies have frowned on buses as nuisances to be driven off the streets wherever possible. The possibility of using buses for feeders to the regular car lines has not occurred to very many operating officials as yet; I safely predict that the bus will be used more and more extensively by street car companies in the very near future to extend their service into new residential and manufacturing districts.

## EXPORT BUSINESS HANGS IN BALANCE

Germany Out to Get Trade of United States, Is Statement—Past Year Shows Big Decrease

DETROIT, Oct. 1.—Germany has discovered a gun that will fire across the Atlantic and do havoc in America, especially to the automobile industry, unless defended are laid immediately, former Major William T. Morsan of the United States general staff, told automobile men at a noonday luncheon this week. It is the gun of export trade.

"The American automobile industry in the United States might just as well begin to fight," he said. "Tourists in Germany can buy a 100-horsepower automobile in the German market for from \$3,000 to \$4,000 at the current rate of exchange, which would cost twice to three times that amount in America.

"Germany has today more than 100 automobile factories, employing 35,000 skilled men, the output of which is 75 per cent for export. In the automobile manufacturing centers orders are on hand to keep factories running 18 months to give them a financial basis for expansion.

**Germany Increases Exports**  
"Germany already has taken the lead in the automobile trade from the United States. Last year she exported \$3,600,000 worth of cars to Switzerland, as against \$3,000,000 shipped from the United States. 1,000 automobiles of various kinds and 4,000 motorcycles, while during the last year before the war she exported but 4,000 cars."

Germany is likely to outstep America commercially, Major Morsan declares, because "not only is German labor more skilled than either English or American, but it is willing to work on a lower scale of wages and German business men are ready to put business upon a narrower margin of profit than we are in America."

"It is up to the automobile and other American industries to get busy before it is too late." The automobile industry is going to carry on. This became evident following the reduction in price of the Chevrolet, Willys-Overland and Ford cars when orders began to flow into the plants of these three companies.

**Increased Activity Noted**  
No announcements were forthcoming from the Ford and Chevrolet companies, but signs of increased activity are reported in Toledo, following the arrival there Thursday of John N. Willys and Walter F. Chrysler, president and vice-president of the Willys-Overland company, for a series of conferences relative to plans for new production schedules and further financing of the corporation.

Mr. Willys announced the removal of the engineering department of the Willys-Overland from Elmhurst to Toledo. The department will be under the supervision of E. H. Belden, chief of engineering for the Willys-Overland Company.

Stimulation of sales caused by the Overland and Willys-Knight cars is resulting in a gradual increase of the force of workers at the big Toledo plant. Mr. Willys says 2,500 men have been added this week and that if orders continue to come in as they have in the last few days this force will be increased to 3,000 in the next two weeks.

All of the division managers of the Overland have been called to Toledo to meet Mr. Willys and discuss plans for the immediate future. Mr. Willys states he is going to make another swing around the country at the close of the Toledo conference to stimulate the sales programme of dealers and distributors of the company.

**Bound Issues Likely**  
That the Overland company is planning a \$10,000,000 bond issue through Kuhn, Loeb & Co. of New York, with which to take care of its banking obligations due October 1, is not denied by the Overland officials, although Mr. Willys declines to discuss the details of the matter at this time.

of \$5,000,000, which, with the \$10,000,000 in cash the company is said to have on hand, would give them a working capital of \$15,000,000.

## BIG PROGRESS MADE WITH ALCOHOL

Empire Motor Fuels Committee Making Thorough Study of New Fuel—Has Great Future

LONDON, Eng.—Considerable progress is certainly being made in the investigation inaugurated by the Empire Motor Fuels Committee in connection with the denaturing and the use of alcohol fuels, says The Times.

"Even more important, in a sense, however, is the fact that the idea of these fuels is becoming familiar to the motoring public, and that the old sceptical attitude towards their possible utility has been almost completely abandoned. Much work, of course, remains to be done. We have not yet definitely laid hold of a perfect denaturant obtainable in large quantities at low cost. We are, perhaps, on the way towards it, but even when the experimental work is done it remains to get the authorities to authorize the use of the denaturant proposed.

"In many parts of the world people are studying the possibility of devoting the land to growing of alcohol crops on a large scale, and the number of patents that are being taken out for alcohol mixtures shows that many scientists are giving their minds to the subject.

"Estimates of cost of power alcohol fuels are nowadays often based on the fact that the raw materials are at present waste products, and, therefore, obtainable at very low cost. This state of affairs cannot continue when a big demand for power alcohol has been developed, and it behooves us to consider whether permanent, as distinct from temporary supplies, will continue to be obtainable at prices which, when the costs of distillation, denaturing and distributing have been added, will still be reasonably competitive."

## HIGH VALUATION INDUCES CRIME

Automobile Insurance Companies Should Make Inquiry and Revise System—Rates Too High

Over-valuation and ignoring the character of the policy holder are the two weaker points in the insurance methods today, in the opinion of the automobile makers.

Most of the new cars carrying insurance are valued at more than their market value if the owner had to sell them. Consequently the temptation to destroy the car is strong for the unscrupulous. Many instances are on record of cars being driven into a river in order that theft insurance might be collected. The same danger applies for fire insurance.

Though faced with this situation, no recognition is made of the moral hazard. No inquiry is made concerning a man's character before writing his policy, so that the dangers of valuation are not stopped at this point.

More important than the crime element is the carelessness which over-valuation encourages in the average motorist. If his automobile is over-valued, theft or accident may prove a blessing.

Few of the accidents today are due to faulty construction. The cause of the high rates lies in factors not related to mechanical production.

**Loose Stud Bolt**  
It sometimes happens that in taking off the valve cover plate one of the studs may slip out and the loss will not be discovered. This leaves an opening into the intake passage and the leak will prevent the suction through the carburetor passed to draw the fuel into the cylinders.

If it becomes necessary to remove a cam-shaft gear it must be marked so that it may be replaced correctly. Mark on tooth on the crank-shaft gear and the two adjacent teeth on the cam-shaft gear. A chalk mark is good, but a prick punch makes a mark that will not rub out. When the gear is replaced it must be set exactly according to the marks.

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With some cars starting may be facilitated by stopping the engine and closing the choke on the carburetor instead of by shutting off the switch. The engine stalls because of the very rich mixture it receives. Therefore the next time the engine is cranked the cylinders are full of a mixture which is just rich enough for starting, since some of the fuel will have condensed while the engine was standing. It is hardly necessary to add that after stalling the engine in this way the switch should be turned off to prevent waste of current (assuming that a battery system is used).

In France manufacturers of motor vehicles are attempting to solve the housing crisis by constructing large automobiles which, like Pullman cars, may be transformed into dining or bedrooms at will. Kitchens and bathrooms are also installed.

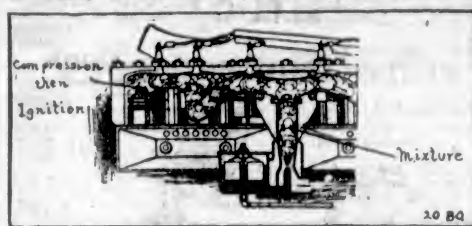


## The Automobile Speaks

It Tells You What It Is, What It Requires, and It Asks to Be Treated Fairly

By FREDERICH C. GUERRILLICH

No. 26.  
**Trouble Locating**  
If you would get the maximum pleasure out of driving the car, then you should feel that if something should go wrong with me you could easily find what it is and apply the remedy. You should know how to "locate trouble."



The locating of trouble in my engine is not nearly as hard as many consider it to be. The man or woman who knows the why and wherefore of the various units, who knows the action or "cycle" of my engine, and who will think, will often be able to tell instantly what made my engine stop, why it does not start, what

makes it misfire or why it lacks power. I have noticed that drivers might be divided into two classes, namely those who use their brains mostly, and those who use their hands mostly. The former, when the engine suddenly stops, will get out and play with the carburetor adjustment, which probably will make matters worse; will pull on a wire without a reason

for doing so, change the spark plugs, exhaust himself or his battery cranking my engine, unjustly swear at me, at my makers and sellers, and then send for a man who will use his brains as well as his hands.

The latter kind of trouble locator, when something goes wrong, will sit still a while and ask himself questions just as a physician will ask questions when diagnosing a case. These questions will be somewhat like this: Have I gas, did the spark switch bar open, was there a popping or backfiring in the carburetor, did the engine stop so before and what was the cause that time, the result being that often, even before raising the hood, he will know the cause of the trouble.

In the hope of helping you to be the latter type of "trouble locator," I am going to tell you what the basic principles of trouble locating are; I am going to tell you the things which might go wrong and the reason therefor; I will show you how by a process of reasoning you can eliminate one possible cause of the trouble after another until the true cause alone is left and found.

In a previous talk I told you that there were three things absolutely necessary for the proper running of my engine, namely, proper mixture, good compression and proper ignition—the three essentials.

The above paragraph is well worth reading again, as trouble locating is nothing more than a process of eliminating two of these three essentials as a possible cause of the trouble, and then further eliminating the possible causes of the one which is left. In the following talks I am going to take up the three essentials one by one and show how they may go wrong, then I will show how by reasoning, or by mechanical tests, they may be eliminated as the cause of the trouble—in the case of the engine stopping, failing to start, missing or lacking power.

I might say that cooling and lubricating are also essential to the proper running of the engine, but a failure of these will most always be indicated by overheating, the overheating resulting in a "knock," a banging of the engine parts or in the radiator water boiling. They will be considered separately and not be referred to in the present talks on trouble locating.

**RUTH MAY ENTER**  
**AUTOMOBILE FIELD**

Barney Oldfield Also Wants to Sign Up to Handle Rickenbacker Contract in State of California

DETROIT, Oct. 1.—Babe Ruth, celebrated home-run champion, has now followed Barney Oldfield in seeking a dealership for the new Rickenbacker motor cars.

From early indications the Rickenbacker dealers' organization in all parts of the country will be as spectacular as the manufacturing personnel at Detroit.

Applications for territory have been coming since the first announcement of this popular project, but no information will be available as to the fortunate candidates until just before the New York automobile show, next January. One of the reasons for the secrecy is the fact that in many instances the applicants are successful dealers now handling competitive motor cars.

Some of the applicants, however, carry such popular interest that their names are leaking out. Early in August it was rumored that Barney Oldfield, speedway idol and tire manufacturer, has asked "Rick"—his former road race adversary—for the California territory. So anxious was Barney that he filed his application by long distance telephone from San Francisco to Detroit.

Babe Ruth went Oldfield one better and published his application to the world. In a signed article appearing early in September in newspapers from coast to coast, Babe Ruth stated that he had requested territory for Rickenbacker cars and if successful would organize a distributing company. It is known that Babe Ruth's contract with the New York Yankees expires this year, but it is believed that any venture or investment in the automobile business will not necessarily keep him out of baseball next season. Captain Rickenbacker confirms press reports, but will not divulge any particulars about the plans of the noted slugger.

**How to Get Out of Mud**  
When the rear wheels are in a muddy spot, do not try to drive the car out by spinning them. The slower the wheels turn the better the chance of gripping the surface. If the car can be rocked by alternately engaging and disengaging the clutch it will be found that the condition of the car will carry it out of almost any bad spot.

## SOMNIPATHY GRIPS MANY AUTO DRIVERS

Strange Incident, in Which Driver Permits Machine to Get Away, Is Witnessed—Crashes Often Occur

"Recently I witnessed a strange occurrence at Riverside Drive and One Hundred and Twentieth Street," writes a correspondent, Daniel O. Skinner, to the New York Herald. The incident, which some persons describe in detail, seems to point to a condition resembling hypnosis sleep, likely to be induced by the glare of the roadway and its rapid movement before the eyes of the driver. The correspondent brings up several other instances, all accidents without obvious cause, which he attributes to drivers "under the spell of the roadway." As for the incident which he saw, and on which he largely bases his theory, he writes:

It was midday and bright sunlight flooded the broad, dry expanses of asphalt. A large limousine was rolling north at 15 miles an hour. At the rear a similar vehicle approached, moving faster.

Both cars were driven by chauffeurs; the passengers were women. There was ample space for the second car to pass, but to my astonishment it came up behind and crashed into the first machine.

It was absurd. The second driver had sat at ease, his hands on the wheel, his gaze straight ahead. There was nothing to divert his attention. The second chauffeur was apologetic and admitted to the women his fault, although insisting that he could not account for his carelessness. But the first driver understood. They both understood. Superficial explanations were not for their belief.

**Driver Victim of Somniphobia**

Asleep at his wheel—sound asleep. The faulty driver was evidently a victim of incurable somniphobia, a psychology or physiology doubtless has a better term, but I do not recall it. A self-induced yet unwitting malady. With the symptoms of which many auto drivers and engineers are more or less familiar.

The colliding chauffeur had been gazing steadily at the bright, steaming roadway, floating smoothly beneath him. His monotonous sentences concentrated his mental faculties to the point of inducing momentary self-hypnotism.

In the field of railroad engineering, experienced engineers run by opposing signals I wonder if the cause might not often be attributed to this insidious malady.

Often the charitable explanation in cases fatal to the engineer has been the possibility of heart failure or a sudden stroke causing a dead hand to hold the throttle prior to the accident. But it is possible that the effect of the unwavering stretch of twin rails blending with the even grey right of way and dissolving under the engineer's searching gaze, burned into his brain a convincing, soothing, hypnotizing beyond the exercise of his inhibitory will.

**Here's One Example**

An acquaintance of mine who drives his own car about the city and that he has sometimes been aroused from a sound sleep by the wheels of his car rubbing against the curb. A chauffeur told me he saw a car waver from its course, swerve across the drive at Seventy-eighth Street, crash through the protecting chains at the edge of the walk and finally stop down among the trees in Central Park. It was one of those freak happenings in which the car was not badly damaged and the chauffeur was merely awakened from his lethargic sleep.

A routine gear cutter stops at the last thousandth of an inch in microscopically removed. Then an automatic feed printing press prevents damage to itself by more than one sheet of paper tries to pass at the same time.

An automobile is said to be practically fool-proof. It almost runs itself if you can afford to buy the gasoline. Its mechanical perfection is close to realization. The most alert and constructive brains of mankind have been directed toward making it a thing of beauty, efficiency and comfort.

But the being that tries to control this modern Frankenstein monster is not machine-made. It is not automatic. It cannot prevent its own destruction. It is human.

**Distraction Contributing Cause**

So far it has not been possible to synchronize the human soul with steel and iron and rubber so that our subconscious senses will operate to stop the flight of a sleep-controlled car or the sweep of an unrestrained locomotive. Yet, fanciful as it may sound, I believe it is within the scope of an endeavor to harness the pulse or measure the muscular reflex as soon as sleep takes possession of the body, and by utilizing a delicately attuned apparatus to cause these involuntary bodily reactions to sound a warning alarm to the driver or actually to work in some way to stop automatically the rush of an automobile or locomotive.

Doubtless there are times when the automobile driver or engineer takes control when physically tired or under some emotional stress. Distraction, worry and preoccupation also contribute to occasion of misjudgment and rash actions. But if we can make the distinction clear enough there is food for thought in the idea of incurable somniphobia existing at other times under certain conditions, whether the victim is of normal health and habits or, due to a deflection in his co-ordinating powers, is rendered susceptible to a favorable degree.

The principle expounded is not new to science, as early authorities have taught that by steadily gazing at any object a man can hypnotize himself without knowing it. And, to make it more of a paradox, the passive symptoms seem to manifest themselves in the case of drivers of long experience for the reason that they are no longer prone to excitement. Familiar with a long stretch of road or right of way, and the novelty of their work having passed, it becomes a matter of routine or second nature, desisting the precautionary senses and making a passive condition favorable.

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## CHINESE PLAN WAYS TO AVOID ACCIDENTS

Locking Up Driver of Car Causing Fatal Wreck With Image of Dead Man, Is Suggested—Other Ideas

SHANGHAI, Oct. 1.—As a means of preventing automobile accidents, the "Health Precaution Association," an organization composed of leading Chinese of Shanghai, recently prepared a list of suggestions, among which are several of engaging novelty. The suggestions, which were adopted at a meeting after lengthy Chinese discussion, are to be presented to the municipal council of the international settlement. Among the measures that the organization advocates were the following:

"All motor cars shall have rubber-tired wheels and run without noise. It is too late to blow a horn when a car has already collided with a pedestrian. A car should have a very small bell attached to one of the front wheels, and this bell should be kept ringing all the time, so that when pedestrians hear it they can get out of the way. This bell should be half the size of a bicycle bell. Each car should have a speed limit, but the fire brigade, doctors and police motor cars should be exempted.

"A chauffeur should wear a brass badge on his breast. The badge should be three inches in diameter and should have his name and the number of his license in English and Chinese inscribed thereon. The badge should be issued by the municipal council at a few cents each. Then a man not licensed will not dare drive a car.

"All motor trucks should have rails or iron chains around the cars to insure safety, and in case of collision cargo will be prevented from falling and injuring pedestrians. Cargo should not be piled too high, to prevent danger when passing over bridges.

"There should be one licensed chauffeur and an assistant to take charge of each motor car or truck. The assistant should sit behind and keep a lookout when the car turns around, goes backward, enters or leaves the garage. The owner of the car will not mind spending a little money in employing an assistant chauffeur.

"After a person is killed by a motor car a wax image of the deceased should be made and placed in a room, and any chauffeur who causes injury to others should be locked up in this room so that he will see the image and feel sorry. This may cause him to repent. This has been introduced in America and has produced successful results."

**Cleaning Carbon**  
Many manufacturers who equip their engines with aluminum pistons advise against the removal of carbon deposits by the oxygen method, because the extreme heat generated is likely to injure the pistons.

The first public garage was opened in Boston in 1893.

Moisture or grease on the surface of the distributor housing will sometimes cause serious misfiring, because the high tension current skips across the surface of this foreign matter instead of going through the regular channels. The obvious remedy is to wipe off the surface. The presence of moisture may be explained by the fact that it may be drawn in with

the air flowing through the radiator or may condense on the surface on a damp day. Grease or oil collects on the surface from oil spray thrown out by the engine.

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## WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

**Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E.**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Tuesday morning at headquarters in the Jones Building, at 10:30 o'clock.

**Boy Scouts' Committee**  
The Ladies' Committee of the Boy Scouts' Association has to report the sum of \$56.37 as the result of sales at the Field Day recently held at Oak Bay, and also subscriptions from the I.O.D.E. This sum will go to help the expenses of the local association. The committee wish to thank all the Chapters of the I.O.D.E. who gave donations of money or cakes; also parents for gifts of cakes, and all who were kind enough to give their assistance, and Mr. D. Keith Wilson for being good enough to donate the soft drinks.

**Lady Alderson Chapter, I.O.D.E.**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Lady Alderson Chapter, I.O.D.E., will take place on November 1 at the headquarters in the Jones Building.

**Women's Canadian Club**  
The Women's Canadian Club will hold its annual meeting at the Empress Hotel on Wednesday, October 3, at 3:30 p.m. The business will include the reading of the annual reports and the election of officers for the ensuing year. A musical programme has been arranged, and will include songs by Miss Marie Fraser and Miss Middleton, and piano solos by Miss Marjorie Broyle.

**Equimait W.I.**  
The general meeting of the Equimait Women's Institute will be held on Tuesday evening, October 4, at the Sailors' Club, Admiral's Road. Business meeting to begin at 7:30 promptly; social at 8:15, to which members' families are cordially invited. All members are requested to bring cake.

**Strawberry Vale W.I.**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in the institute rooms. Miss Helen Stewart will address the meeting on "Education," and a full attendance of members is requested.

**Lake Hill W.I.**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Women's Institute will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Deveson, Cedar Hill Cross Road.

**Garden City W.I.**  
The monthly meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute will be held in the Marigold Hall on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. After a business meeting, Mrs. Audrey Griffin will address the meeting on the dehydration of fruits and vegetables.

**St. Andrew's L.A.A.**  
The Ladies' Aid of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will meet in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, when a full attendance of members is requested.

**Marguerite Chapter**  
A meeting of the Marguerite Chapter, I.O.D.E., will take place tomorrow evening at the home of the regent, Mrs. E. H. King, 533 Harbinger Avenue, at 7:45 o'clock.

**Colfax Rebekah Lodge**  
Colfax Rebekah Past Noble Grand Lodge will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas Street, on Tuesday at 3 p.m. All members and visiting Past Noble Grand are respectfully requested to be present.

**Robert Valentine Chapter**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Robert Valentine Harvey Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held at the home of Mrs. L. C. Lytton, Connaught Avenue, Mount Toimie, on Tuesday at 8 o'clock. A full attendance of members is requested.

**Camosun Chapter**  
A special meeting of the Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sylvester, 114 Fort Street, when final arrangements will be made in connection with the chapter's Halloween dance.

**L. A. to A. and N. Veterans**  
The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday at 8 o'clock, at the residence of the president, Mrs. H. Chapman, 736 Courtney Street. Special business will be considered, and a large turnout of members is anticipated.

**Victoria Women's Institute**  
A special meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in the Y.W.C.A., Stobert-Peace Block, Yates Street. Reports of committees who had charge of the institute's lunch room at the recent fair will be presented, and a large attendance of members is requested.

**Margaret Robertson Chapter**  
The Margaret Robertson Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Jones Building. A full attendance is requested.

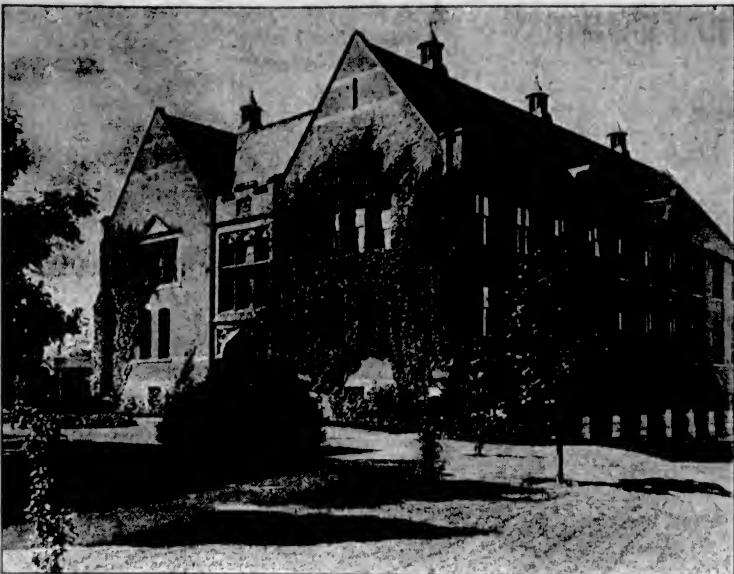
**Queen Alexandra Review**  
Queen Alexandra Review No. 11 will give their opening dance of the season on Thursday next at the K. of P. Hall, from 8 to 11:30. Tables will be arranged for military five hundred, and good prizes will be given the successful players. Refreshments will be served.

**Florence Nightingale Chapter**  
The monthly meeting of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held tomorrow at headquarters at 3 p.m.

**Y. W. C. A.**  
The Y. W. C. A. has been fortunate in securing Miss Audrey Griffin as instructor for the Wednesday afternoon swimming classes.

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## YOUNG MEN OF CITY INVITED TO ATTEND

Meeting Tuesday Night to Consider Season's Programme of New Young Men's Division

The plans for the new Young Men's Division of the Y.M.C.A. will be laid before a meeting of the young men of the city on Tuesday night, when the programme for the new division will be discussed. The meeting will be held at 8 o'clock, at the Y.M.C.A. building, and a large attendance is requested.

All young men of the city between the ages of eighteen and thirty who are interested in attending, The Young Men's Division will be divided into two sections, the first being for young men from eighteen to twenty-one, and the second for those from twenty-one to thirty. Clubs will be formed within these sections. The programme for the season will include sports, addresses, debates and social good times.

## NOTED FRENCH AIRMAN SERIOUSLY INJURED

ETAMPES, France, Oct. 1.—Sadi Lecolnie, the noted French aviator, holder of the world's speed record, was injured and his airplane was smashed when he made a forced landing in the first lap of the La Meurthe cup race here today.

This afternoon it was announced that Lecolnie's injuries are more serious than first reported. He received wounds about the face, may lose his right eye and has deep cuts in both legs.

His propeller was shattered while he was going faster than 200 kilometres an hour.

## NEWSPAPERMEN TO BE GIVEN WAR MEMORIAL

B.C. Institute of Journalists at Vancouver Decide to Place Tablet in Parliament Buildings

Newspapermen of British Columbia who made the supreme sacrifice in

the Great War are to be remembered by the fraternity in a war memorial tablet which is to be placed in the Parliament Buildings. It was decided at a meeting of the B. C. Institute of Journalists in Vancouver on Friday. The committee to perfect the details in connection with the proposed memorial consists of Major Luke Johnston, president of the Institute, and Mr. Noel Robinson, and the hope was expressed that all newspapers in the Province would give their co-operation in the undertaking.

## COMMEMORATION WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

Lady Alderson Chapter Held Tag Day Yesterday in Memory of First Contingent

The Lady Alderson Chapter, I.O.D.E., announced last evening that their funds for the families of the returned soldiers have been augmented by the sum of about \$200, and the members wish to thank all those who helped the event with their generous recognition of the date which the chapter hopes always to commemorate.

The chapter also wishes to extend sincere thanks to the stores, and the Empress Hotel, who afforded accommodation for the taggers, and also to Mr. Humphreys, gardener of the Parnell estate, and others who so kindly donated flowers and everlasting for the day.

## NEW YORK FAMILIES WHO FIND NO HOMES

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—All packed up and no place to go—this was the plight today of hundreds of New York families, who thought to participate with some 100,000 of their fellows in the annual game of swapping apartments.

Many gave up their old homes and got as far as the front door of apartments they expected to occupy before they found that the prior occupants refused to get out.

A checking of the number of families against the number of available apartments showed there were just 69,797 families for whom there were not any homes at all.

**Suspected of Yale Lobotomy**  
VANCOUVER, Oct. 1.—Two men were taken from a Canadian Pacific Railway train by police officers at Port Coquitlam, a few miles east of this city, today, and are being held in connection with the robbery of \$3,000 in cash and Victory Bonds from the postoffice at Yale on Wednesday. The men gave their names as Henry Watson and Robert Bell.

**Janney on Way to Prison**  
REGINA, Sask., Oct. 1.—Captain Janney, of hunger strike fame, passed through Regina today on his way to Prince Albert penitentiary, where he will spend two years on a false pretences charge. He spent a few hours at the city police station in charge of a guard from the Alberta Provincial police. He is making the journey on a cot bed.

**Ask John Doughty's Release**  
TORONTO, Oct. 1.—John Doughty's release on parole from Kingston Penitentiary is asked for in a petition which is being circulated in the east end of the city. He is serving a six-year term for the theft of \$105,000 in bonds, the property of Ambrose Small, the missing Toronto millionaire.

The following guests are registered at the James Bay Hotel: Mrs. Marpole, Westholme, V.I.; Miss L. Horrocks, Bolton, England; Mrs. Wm. Hind, Cowichan Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Morse and family, England; Rev. E. Evans, Oxford, England; Rev. A. Angie, Vancouver; Rev. Carlisle, Vancouver; Hugh Davis, Shawinigan Lake; Miss Harvey, Vancouver; J. R. Simmons, Winnipeg; Miss Root, Nottingham, England; Mr. and Mrs. Stov, Sooke Harbor; F. W. Foster, Cowichan Bay; G. Smilk, Nelson; John Redpath, Knapp Island, Sidney.

William L. Irvine, Trade Commissioner of the Automobile Division of the United States Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, in a review of the United States automobile industry, states that United States manufacturers are meeting a recent falling off in the demand from the British market by increasing their activities in Canada. Statistics show that Canada took 35 per cent of the North American exports of cars during 1920, and 47 per cent during the first six months of 1921.

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Studebaker, 5-passenger, a good serviceable car and all ready to drive away. Has real leather upholstery, a good top and five tires. This car was sold recently for \$400. Today's price— \$195

Studebaker, 7-passenger. If you want a light room; car, all ready for the road, get this one. Tires, paint and top all good, and worth double our clean-up price of— \$295

Hupmobile Roadster. A light car on wheels, and very easy to handle. In good running order throughout. The lowest price we have ever quoted— \$195 on a car of this class.

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Gray-Dort Touring, 1920, everything fit and ready. Just remember what the car cost last year, and we offer it in the clean-up sale at away less than half price— \$695

Dodge Touring, late model, in good serviceable condition; four Nobby tread tires; motor strong and quiet. This car will sell on sight at the clean-up price— \$875

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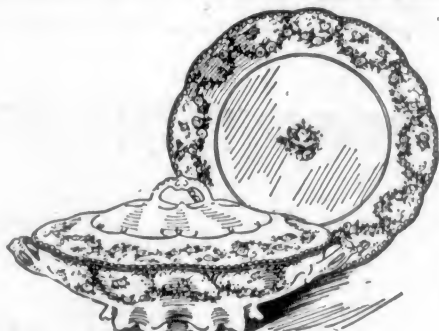
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## STRENGTH IS SHOWN AT SHORT SESSION

Advance Is Led by Oils and  
Coppers, With Firm Tone  
General Towards Close—  
Money Reserves Decrease

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Trading during today's brief stock session was made up largely of metals, domestic oils, steels, equipments and several conspicuous coal issues.

Coppers rose one to two points in recognition of the higher prices quoted for future deliveries. Oils seemed to derive their impetus mainly from pools, and Lehigh Valley's further gain was associated with the company's prospective segregation plan.

Shorts opposed the advance in the first hour, but retired when buying became too insistent, a firm to strong tone marking the close, sales amounting to \$25,000 shares.

Dealings in bonds were moderate, Liberty and Victory issues showing gains and losses at the end. Foreign issues were lower, especially French government 7 1/2's and Cuba Cane 7's. Total sales aggregated \$5,350,000.

An increase of \$55,000,000 in actual loans and discounts by the clearing house reflected the heavy transfer of funds incidental to the turn in the final quarter of the year. Reserves of members of the Federal

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## Premier Meighen and Protection

Premier Meighen in his speech on protection at Portage La Prairie on Tuesday stated that for three years Canada had to pay 112 cents for every American dollar, that the United States were selling nearly \$100,000,000 worth of goods to Canada annually, and that Canada was selling a little over half that amount.

In addition to this the United States have lately enacted the Fordney Tariff in order to exclude all farm products, of which Canada was selling \$18,000,000 worth a year.

The Emergency Act has already decreased our exports to the United States and the Fordney Bill has passed the House of Representatives and is now in the Senate where slight amendments have been made which will cut off the farm products as between May 15th October and the end of the year. In December last the premium on New York funds rose as high as 19 1/2%.

We have therefore suggested the purchase of New York securities for the last two months either by the sale of securities already in the possession of our country or a straight purchase because we believe the exchange will again return to a high level so that the security could be sold in December at a very fair profit. We do not overlook the fact that money is cheaper in New York and that the price of bonds payable in New York funds such as the dollar denominations of United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland 5 1/2% will increase in value, and it has been our pleasure to witness the capital of our clients increase during this last two months as much as five points and will continue, so that by the purchase now of this form of security and sale at the proper time, profits by the increase in value in New York, together with the increasing exchange rates, should show handsome returns on the investment.

On inquiry from our correspondents in New York as to the Emergency Act and the Fordney Bill, and stating our opinion that exchange would again go up to a high level, they concur in our opinion and believe from an investment standpoint that holders of securities payable in New York in December should be able to secure a very much higher price and higher premium than now prevailing.

As an example of our forecast, a purchase in July of \$70,000.00 United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland 5 1/2% Bonds due 1927 have now increased five points and the profit is already \$100.00. If our client sells in December and the exchange is then 15%, the additional profit will be \$100.00, and in the meantime our client received interest on the \$70,000.00 amounting to \$42.00 for one month's interest together with the premium on the exchange for six months' interest, when cashing his coupons, amounting to \$20.25. (Total benefit 22 1/2% per annum).

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Reserve Bank decreased \$12,000,000, and a contraction of \$13,567,000, in cash holdings resulted in a deficit of reserves of practically \$10,000,000.

Business in foreign exchange was nominal, but fresh pressure was directed against the Italian lire and German marks, the latter again declining to .78, their low record. Polish marks manifested increased weakness, with other Central European rates. Far Eastern exchanges were steady, the Shanghai rate recovering its loss of the previous day.

## EARL COOPER WINS

### BIG AUTO CLASSIC

Captures First Race for 150-Mile National Championship After Re-entering Game—Two Men Killed

FRESNO, Cal., Oct. 1.—Earl Cooper, driving his first race since re-entering the racing game, won the annual San Joaquin Valley classic this afternoon in a National championship point race of 150 miles.

Cooper's time was one hour 29 minutes and 45 seconds. Jimmy Murphy, who finished less than one foot behind the winner, was second. A dispute ensued, but the judges have decided that Cooper won.

Allen Soules, whose car plunged over an embankment, is in a critical condition, but will probably live. His mechanic, Harry Barnes, is not expected to live.

Joe Thomas, whose car Cooper drove and whose place he took, was operated upon again this morning and again this evening in an attempt to save his arm. Dr. Barnes fears that it may have to be amputated to save his life as he held by the physicians.

Both Men Dead  
FRESNO, Cal., Oct. 1.—Allen Soules and his mechanic, Harry Barnes, died in hospital here tonight from injuries received when the car driven by Soules crashed during the running of the San Joaquin Valley speed classic here today.

## KINGSTON CLUB

### ELECTS OFFICERS

Tennis Season on Clay Courts Is Officially Ended When Finals Are Played in American Tournament

Beautiful weather marked the official closing of the tennis season at the Kingston Street Club yesterday, when the finals of the American tournament and the finals of the club were played. The courts proved to be in splendid condition, due to the efforts of the groundsman, J. H. Butterworth. Play will be continued on the available courts while the weather continues fine.

The results of the tournament were as follows:

In the ladies' doubles Miss N. Edwards and Miss Marquart defeated Miss Cum and Mrs. List, 6-4; 6-4; in the mixed doubles, Mrs. Foster and Mr. O'Halloran, 6-2; 6-1; in the men's doubles, Parkes and Cox defeated McLaren and O'Halloran, 6-2; 6-1.

Following the presentation of prizes the annual general meeting was held, the election of officers resulting as follows: Honorary president, Rev. H. T. Archbold; honorary vice-president, B. P. Schwenger; H. G. Garrett and J. G. Brown; president, C. Sweeney; vice-president, J. B. Witter; secretary, W. W. Parkes; treasurer, H. O'Halloran; and the following committee members: Miss H. Leighton, Mrs. M. B. Foster, E. H. List, Henry C. Hall, B. G. Robinson and A. L. Fraser.

Satisfaction was expressed by the members concerning the uniformly good condition of the courts, and also with respect to the increases in membership and playing facilities during the season, as disclosed by the financial report and statement of the year's progress. Preparations are under way for the laying out of two additional courts to provide accommodation for the larger membership which it is felt may be expected next year by reason of the active interest which has been displayed locally in lawn tennis.

Arrangements have been completed for the holding of an informal dance on Friday, October 7 next, at the new K. of C. Hall, Burns Block, to mark the successful conclusion of the second year of the club's existence.

## KENNEL NOTES

By the Skipper

The Fall show is over and was considered an undoubted success. Owing to the shooting season having commenced there was a shortage of sporting dogs, but the other breeds made up for their absence.

The usual monthly meeting of the Victoria City Kennel Club is postponed until Thursday, the 6th of October, and will be held at the same time and place as usual.

**Victory Dog Shows Grand Pup**  
Mr. Alex. McGilroy, 1154 Cadboro Bay Road, has just received a word that "Lothian Bobro," sired by his West Highland White Terrier "Lothian Douglas," went best pup in show, all breeds, at the Toronto National Exhibition, recently, beating all the crack American and Canadian puppies there. This is considered a very important win.

Mr. Harbord, of this city, has a fine litter of puppies of "Kilmartin Daisy," sired by "Lothian Douglas." "Kilmartin Daisy" sire, "Fruchlan," also went first in open dogs at this same show in a very large class. It is hoped that one of these great little highlanders will be taken up here in the West, for they are good vermin killers, splendid companions and house dogs, being very affectionate.

**The Animal Trainer**  
The din of music, loud, mechanical; A thoughtless, laughing crowd that fronts a stage;

A trainer bowing to its loud applause As though he were the hero of the age.

Alas, he is no hero! Lister, look! The whip descends as from the arena's rear.

Leaps into line a crowd of animals Whose eyes are piteous with the light of fear.

Then comes the "grand performance," High trapeze And stools and ladders, swinging rings and balls.

Confront them, cowering creatures who are trained To a precosity unnatural.

The leopards mount their stools. The monkeys leap. All tremulous with fear, from dizzy height.

The kangaroos perform a boxing match. The camel says its prayers and bows "good night."

The clumsy bear climbs in his little swing. The pony bows to questions grave, replies, The dogs go gaily dancing round the ring.

But, oh, the piteous ones see their eyes! For tricks well done the Judas-kiss is given.

If there are but few who would not mean To gaze upon the cruel punishment When trainer with his pupil is alone.

Ah, these poor pupils, mastered by the whip! God never meant them for a life like this.

Kind pity, sweep such scenes as these from earth And turn their loud applause to soothing him!

—Alice J. Cleator.

## COLLEGE FOOTBALL NOTES

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 1.—Thirty thousand persons today saw Charlie Russell, Harvard's quarterback, lift a 35-yard dash back over the Holy Cross goal posts for the only points that were scored in a hard-fought game.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Yale showed but few flashes of brilliant football in the game with the University of Vermont this afternoon, winning 14 to 0.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 1.—The Annapolis midshipmen averaged last year's feat of the hands of North Carolina State College by smothering the Carolinians 40 to 0 this afternoon.

## CONFESSION OF GUILT TROUBLES GERMANS

BERLIN, Oct. 1.—Plea by Chancellor Wirth and Foreign Minister Rosen averted a resolution by the German Nationalists yesterday which might have delayed ratification of the peace treaty with the United States in the Reichstag. The Nationalists planned to present a resolution declaring that the Reichstag, in ratifying the treaty, was not making a renewed confession of guilt for causing the war.

Baron Rosen assured the Foreign Relations Committee that the issue of war guilt was not touched upon during the negotiations with Ellis Loring Drexel, American Commissioner here. He declared that this pertinent paragraph of the Versailles treaty, which was included in the pact with the United States, was effective only in connection with economic phases awaiting adjustment.

## CROP CONDITIONS

### THROUGHOUT CANADA

Okanagan Apple Yield Will Exceed 1919 Record by 25 Per Cent—Potato Crop in B.C. Below Normal

The Okanagan apple crop is estimated at 2,000,000 boxes, which is double the yield of last year, and 25 per cent over the record crop of 1919, according to a statement just issued by the Bank of Montreal in their weekly bulletin on market conditions throughout Canada.

An increase of 15 per cent over last year in the pear crop is recorded, but the potato supply is between 25 and 30 per cent less than the normal yield. The tennage last year was 35,000. Hay is much weathered in 1920, while threatening operations are about completed in the Province, with an average grain crop.

Rain and hail have played havoc with the wheat crop on the Prairies during the past few weeks, but, in spite of this circumstance, the final yield of 271,000,000 bushels wheat and 31,000,000 bushels of oats has been cut. Cutworms, drought and war flies have also caused injury and loss to the farmers. The grain marketing in many districts is slow owing to the wet roads. If fine weather should be the order for the next few weeks, it is expected that harvesting will be finished by November 1.

Ontario Returns Satisfactory  
While the returns in Ontario have not turned out as heavy as in the general returns have been satisfactory. There is a short yield of hay, which, however, is offset by an exceptionally heavy crop of ensilage corn. The early small fruits are light, but of splendid quality. Apples are below the average, but there is a large acreage of the best quality of tobacco.

Market conditions in the Province of Quebec are not encouraging. Final reports indicate that the cereal and hay crops are below the average. A good potato return is anticipated in the Lower St. Lawrence River region, but in other parts of the Province the crop will be small and of inferior quality. It is estimated that the crops in general will be from 40 per cent to 70 per cent of an average year.

The apple crop in Nova Scotia is expected to show a slight increase over that for last year. Reports from Carleton County indicate that the potato crop in that district is larger than previously expected. In Prince Edward Island, conditions generally are good, with the potato yield, especially more satisfactory. Shipments to Great Britain and the United States have commenced.

**Lady Golfer Loses Title**  
DEAL, N.J., Oct. 1.—Miss Alexa Sterling, United States woman golf champion, today was defeated on one up in 19 holes by Mrs. C. H. Vandenberg, Philadelphia, in the first of nine matches between women golfers representing the East and West. Eastern players won eight of the nine matches.

**Norway-Russia Treaty**  
CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Oct. 1.—By the vote of sixty-nine radical Socialists against forty-seven of the Conservatives, the Storthing ratified the commercial treaty with Russia.

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## YOUNG AUSTRALIAN

### "MASTER" TO PLAY

Joe Kirkwood, Only 24, and Has Never Before Been Outside His Native Heath, Will Give Exhibition Here

Golf lovers will be given the chance to see Joe Kirkwood, the Australian open champion, in action today, when he will play a fourball match with his partner, Victor East, against Willy Black, of Colwood, and Phil Taylor, of Oak Bay.

Those who have seen Kirkwood in action in Eastern Canadian cities are satisfied that they have seen one of the greatest golfers of the world play the game. What is impressive about this feat is the age of the "master." He is twenty-four, and until this year had not been outside Australia. He has never seen a great professional golfer play, and until last year had never taken part in a championship of any merit. Then he entered and won the Australian event, and soon after decided to come across the water and try his luck. His trip has been a great success, and he has made a great many friends who will watch his career with the greatest interest.

## LAWN BOWLING NOTES

Owing to the fine September weather much activity still prevails on the green and a large attendance of members is anticipated at Monday evening's meeting, when the report of the committee appointed to deal with increased accommodation will be read. This committee, composed of A. McKeachie, A. McNeill, W. H. Cullin and G. Vallance, has been showing considerable activity of late and something practical is likely to be the outcome.

## THISTLES TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the Thistles Football Club in the Green Block, Broad Street, on Monday night at 8 o'clock, when matters of interest will be discussed. Players and prospective players and members of committee are requested to attend.

Although raw sugar is one of the principal exports of the Philippines, there are no refineries there.

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Women's Swimming Event  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—A new women's swimming event of 800 yards around Seal Rocks, held by the Pacific Athletic Association, was won today by Olga Chapital in 11 minutes 54 seconds. She won in the last 200 yards from Florence Freisenhausen, who dropped into second place.

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*Skin specialists advise the use of a protective cream.*

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*In the daytime, use the dry cream to freshen the skin, to hold the powder, and to protect it against wind, cold and dust. Pond's Vanishing Cream is based on an ingredient famous for its softening effect on the skin. It affords the skin an invisible protection, and there is no oil in it to reappear in a shine.*

*nary washing to reach. At night after washing your face with the soap you have found best suited to it, smooth Pond's Cold Cream into the pores. It contains just enough oil to work well into the pores and cleanse them thoroughly. Then wipe the cream gently off. You will be shocked at the amount of dirt this cleansing removes from your skin. When this dirt is allowed to remain in the pores, the skin becomes dull and blemishes and blackheads appear.*

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